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A wallet which was empty ex-

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Bleeding Bosco Child In Critical Condition

By PAUL JASPER
Staff Writer

A four-year-old Bosco boy who has been bleeding steadily since he bit his tongue 10 days ago was in critical condition Saturday at Charity hospital in New Orleans.

Melvin Berger, son of Mrs. Betty Berger, was flown by private airplane to New Orleans Friday after physicians at E. A. Conway Memorial Hospital in Monroe failed to stop the bleeding.

The boy is a victim of hemophilia, a condition in which the blood will not clot normally. He was born with the disease.

Melvin was admitted to the Monroe hospital December 8, after he tripped while running at his home and bit his tongue, severely lacerating it.

Forrest Clay, the boy's grandfather, said here Saturday Melvin has been given "at least one or two pints" of blood every day since the accident occurred.

Friday, physicians here decided they were unable to stop the bleeding and the boy was rushed by police escort to Selman Field, and emplaned to New Orleans at 11:15 a.m.

Clay, superintendent of bus maintenance for the Ouachita parish school system here, said the boy was still in critical condition at last reports.

The boy's mother, who is separated from the father, was with Melvin in New Orleans.

Clay said Melvin has been in hospitals numerous times throughout his young life, and several weeks ago almost died when he bruised the interior of his throat.

He was taken to a Shreveport hospital on that occasion and recovered after "four or five" days.

Melvin is an only child.

He was taken to Selman field by Police Capt. J. E. McMullen and Officer Ocie Howard in a police car, and taken to New Orleans in a plane owned by Joe Joseph of Monroe.



ATTENDS DINNER — Wearing the medal of the Order of Garter, Britain's Prime Minister Sir Winston Churchill leaves 10 Downing Street in London prior to attending an Elder Brethern dinner at Trinity House. Earlier, the 80-year-old leader apologized in the House of Commons for "facetiouness" during question period.

Franklin Parish Man Killed When Car Leaves Road

WINNSBORO, Dec. 18 (Special) — A Franklin Parish man was instantly killed early Saturday morning when the car in which he drove alone overturned after skidding from Highway 15 about three miles north of Winnsboro.

State police identified the man as Lige L. Whitney, 41, a resident of the Coax community, Winnsboro, Route 3.

An investigating officer stated that the Whitney vehicle, a 1950 Ford, four-door sedan, traveling south from Baskin towards Winnsboro left the highway from the left lane and traveled about 150 feet on the shoulder, raced into a bar pit and then rolled over and over for another 100 feet. As the car was overturning Whitney was thrown clear of the vehicle.

Dr. H. E. Jones, Franklin Parish coroner, stated that the man died from a crushed chest and skull.

The officer stated that Whitney's car was completely demolished. No estimate of the speed of the vehicle was given.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 4 p.m. at the Coax Baptist Church with Rev. W. Braswell officiating, assisted by Rev. Wilson Rawls.

Interment, under the direction of the First National Funeral Home of Winnsboro will follow in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers are C. H. Nelson, W. E. Nugent, Elton Goodman, Richard Goodman, Dawsey Jones, and W. W. Williamson.

Survivors include four sisters, Mrs. Alice Goodman, Mrs. J. H. Cook, and Mrs. M. W. Cook, all of Winnsboro, and Mrs. W. E. Givins, Haughton, La.; three brothers, Archie Whitney, Edward Whitney, of Winnsboro, and Jessie Whitney of Willet, Calif.

Warmer Weather Expected Today

A majority of the Louisiana population can expect to enjoy warmer weather Sunday and Monday according to government weather observers.

During the two-day period in Arkansas, forecasters see indications of partly cloudy weather with mercury readings not dipping too low.

CAA officials last night at Selman Field reported that the high reading of temperature yesterday was recorded as 50 degrees with a low temperature of 35 degrees.

They stated there was a possibility that the mercury would drop below this minimum today.

Not Superstitious, But Wanted Twins

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18 (AP)—Raymond Salm, 37, isn't superstitious but he was hoping for twins when he bundled up his wife last night for her 13th trip to the hospital.

Up until that hour they had six boys and six girls. "We wanted twins—a boy and a girl—to keep it even," Salm said.

But he flashed a well-practiced grin as the nurse gave him the word: "it's a boy!"

Salm is a radio-television repairman.

Banana Boat Hits Giant Oil Tanker

Vessels Collide In Dense Fog, Off Cape May

Fire Rages For Two Hours Aboard Petroleum Ship

CAPE MAY, N. J., Dec. 18 (AP) — A supertanker and a banana boat collided in fog-wrapped lower Delaware Bay today, starting a fire which raged for nearly two hours on the tanker.

No one was reported injured.

The collision, which occurred shortly after 8 a.m. 25 to 28 miles off Cape May, involved the 10,335-ton tanker Atlantic Capetown and the 5,383-ton United Fruit Co. freighter Maya. Neither vessel carried cargo.

The ships rammed together in pelting rain, which, combined with the fog, made visibility zero.

The tanker, operated by the Atlantic Refining Co., can carry about 4,200,000 gallons of crude oil. It has a crew of 42 captained by an Italian named Magdanicci, neither Atlantic Refining nor any other source could supply fuller identification.

A company spokesman in Philadelphia said the fire broke out in the number four and five port tanks on the tanker, but was put out by members of the crew and Coast Guardsmen from Cape May, Gloucester, N.J., and Lewes, Del.

Boatswain's Mate Robert Bowden, of the Lewes detachment, told newsmen that the freighter hit the tanker broadside, and that the tanker had a hole midship big enough to drive an auto through.

The tanker was aground on the Delaware side about 200 yards off a point called Elbow Cross Light.

The freighter, its bow stowed in, was anchored off the Delaware side about 500 yards from the tanker.

Captained by James Kerr, of Yonkers, N.Y., the freighter has a crew of 51. It unloaded its banana cargo in New York earlier this week and was travelling to Baltimore to pick up a cargo of general merchandise and head for Havana and Panama.

The oil carrier, flying a Liberian flag, is owned by Tanker Transport, Inc., and leased by Atlantic Refining. It was outbound in Ballast for Venezuela.

Coast Guardsmen said they believed both ships could make port on their own, but there was no indication either one meant to do so for the time being.



LONG SEPARATION ENDS HAPPILY — Four-year-old Bernd Roepnack makes a flying leap for his mother's arms as they are reunited in Savannah, Ga., after a 5-months separation. The lad, traveling from Bad Aibling, Germany, crossed the Atlantic Ocean by himself. He was met in New York by his father, Dr. Claus Roepnack, a physician on the staff at the Central of Georgia Hospital in Savannah. The boy's arrival provided a storybook ending to a plot that began in August when the parents told a newsman of their loneliness for their only child. Townsfolk, club leaders and a Congressman went to work cutting red tape to obtain a visa. Thus, this Christmas, according to the Roepnacks, will be the happiest of their lives. (AP Photo)

Jes' Ramblin'

Christmas is a time of sweet remembrances. Those who have of this world's goods are inclined to shower presents to their immediate kindred and often to their close friends. The magic word, Christmas seems to open the inmost hearts of persons who in some cases have been as hard as steel all through the year. But, when the greatest day in all the year comes, when they think of the Babe born in a lowly stable in far off Bethlehem, they forget the world and its cares and are ready to give of their stores of this world's goods.

But then there are others who are not blessed with so much but their hearts are also moved to acts of unselfishness. They forget dull care, their limitations, and hastening to some nearby church they are eager to join in the singing of Carols to the new born King. Oh, it is a story that is linked with the age of centuries, but it is ever new. It lives, it thrills at this time of each and every year.

If this unselfishness that is an attribute of a Christlike character could be distributed through the year, what a worthwhile place it would be to live in here through the year. Let us hope that the passage of Christmas will not result in slumping back into that competitive, cutthroat life that so many are living. Let the Christ-

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Red-Faced U. S. Army In Berlin Hoping Beautiful Spy Will Plead Guilty

BERLIN, Dec. 8 (AP) — U. S. officials acknowledged tonight that the Russians were able to buy the order of battle for the Allied defense of West Berlin for only $375.

The information was transmitted to the Russians through Irmgard Margarethe Schmidt, flashing eyed East German beauty who was caught only three weeks ago after a year and a half of intimate contact with two top American Intelligence chiefs.

The 25-year-old fraulein will be tried Tuesday before a U.S. High Commission court on three charges that she transmitted the order of battle, along with details of Air Force and Army Intelligence set-ups to the Russians, that she tried to obtain the names, places and operational details of the Intelligence in an effort to obtain still more.

The basic charge of espionage states that Miss Schmidt was paid about $375 for her efforts.

Embarrassed American officials said they expected—in fact hoped—that the modern Mata Hari would plead guilty when she is arraigned next week. Otherwise, they conceded, the details of her double life as mistress of an Intelligence colonel and a sometime "date" of a civilian chief would have to be developed in open court. Thus far the names of the two men have been kept secret.

The girl had a job for a time in the colonel's office. He was trans-

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Board Denies Death Verdict Commutation

OAK GROVE, Dec. 18 (Special)—The state board of pardons this week denied a plea for commutation of the death sentence of Tom Johnson, 42-years-old Epps plantation farm hand convicted on November 25, 1953, for the pistol slaying of Henry Lewis, a West Carroll plantation overseer.

Wilburn Lunn, executive counsel for Gov. Robert Kennon in Baton Rouge, said that the "report of the special hearing has been received and will be acted on in due course." All that remains is for the governor to sign the death warrant for Johnson, who has been in the West Carroll jail since the murder.

Johnson was convicted of the slaying by a 12-man jury and was sentenced to die in the state's electric chair by Judge C. J. Ellis.

Although no comment was made as to the probable date of the execution it was reported here that the date would be shortly after the first of the year.

Aid Asked For Drouth Victims In N. E. La.

Congressman Otto E. Passman stated today from his Washington office that he is making every effort to secure surplus commodities for distribution to the unfortunate citizens of the Fifth district who are in economic distress on account of the devastating drouth.

Mr. Passman stated that he went to Washington to confer with Leonard Trainer, head of the food distribution division, agricultural marketing service, department of agriculture, and to secure factual information before commenting publicly on the matter. The following report was secured by Mr. Passman relative to the distribution of surplus commodities to citizens in Louisiana:

"Legislation has been in effect several years that would permit the distribution of surplus commodities to distressed citizens, but for many years the law has not been used in behalf of individuals, rather surplus commodities have been distributed to schools and other public institutions. Inasmuch as all of the parishes of the Fifth Congressional district have been declared in the disaster area, under the law passed several years ago, the Department of Agriculture could immediately put into effect a distribution program that would benefit individuals. In order for distressed citizens of the Fifth district to participate, officials of the State of Louisiana would have to designate a Louisiana agency to supervise the distribution of the surplus commodities. Surplus foods would have to be shipped in carload lots and go to certain re-

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Huge Italian Ship Dives Off Pier Into Bay

New York Scene Of Grim Tragedy; Six Are Rescued

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 —UP —An Italian trans-Atlantic airliner carrying 32 persons careened off a landing light and crashed in flames in Jamaica Bay Saturday on its fourth attempt to make a radar landing during a rainstorm at Idlewild Airport.

There were six known survivors. All the women and two children among the 22 passengers aboard the huge four-engined DC-6B apparently died, along with the 10-member crew. Many of those aboard were coming to the U. S. for Christmas.

The airline said nine bodies had been recovered and 17 were missing among the five Americans, one Iranian and 26 Italians on the plane, which left Rome late Friday. Four of the five Americans survived.

Some of the victims apparently went down with the plane in 35 feet of water. Others were dumped into the ice cold water of Jamaica Bay. At least one, a woman was trapped in her seat when she could not wrench her safety belt loose.

This was the first major disaster in the history of the world's largest civil airport.

The search for bodies continued into the night, with searchlights beamed on the black waters. Helicopters and small boats scoured the bay.

The Douglas airliner, one of the largest in commercial service, was bringing an unusually large cargo of Christmas parcels to the United States, along with persons planning to spend the holiday with friends and relatives here. Some had not notified their families in advance, hoping to surprise them.

The Civil Aeornautics Administration said the plane circled the airport for two hours trying to land on the instrument runway used in bad weather.

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Storm Weather Brings Toll Of Traffic Deaths

By UNITED PRESS

Bad weather and icy roads Saturday wrote a grim close to the week in which the nation observed "Safe Driving Day."

Stormy weather over much of the nation caused at least 29 deaths since 6 a.m. Friday, a United Press tally showed.

Illinois reported eight deaths, Indiana five, Texas and Nebraska three each, Michigan and Iowa two each and one each in Pennsylvania, Minnesota, New York, Oregon, Ohio and Washington.

At Paducah, Tex., blowing dust was blamed for the death of three high school students whose car collided with a freight train.

From Pennsylvania to Oregon, light snow and freezing rain made highways treacherous.

At Chrisman, Ill., four students were killed when their car skidded into a truck Friday night.

Earlier in the day a similar accident killed four workmen on a slippery road in Indiana.

Snow throughout the Midwest ranged from three to six inches over most of Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan, and one to two inches in northern Illinois and Indiana and most of Iowa.

High winds stirred up dust clouds in portions of Kansas and eastern Colorado.

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Both men were listed from Atlanta, but detective R. M. McMurdo said they were employed by a roofing materials firm (Layhof Agencies) of Jacksonville, Fla. McMurdo said Reynolds was wanted for assault with intent to murder and robbing the 30-year-old Peterson of $450 and his wrist watch.

A wallet which was empty ex-

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ATTENDS DINNER — Wearing the medal of the Order of Garter, Britain's Prime Minister Sir Winston Churchill leaves 10 Downing Street in London prior to attending an Elder Brethern dinner at Trinity House. Earlier, the 80-year-old leader apologized in the House of Commons for "facetiouness" during question period.

Franklin Parish Man Killed When Car Leaves Road

WINNSBORO, Dec. 18 (Special) — A Franklin Parish man was instantly killed early Saturday morning when the car in which he drove alone overturned after skidding from Highway 15 about three miles north of Winnsboro.

State police identified the man as Lige L. Whitney, 41, a resident of the Coax community, Winnsboro, Route 3.

An investigating officer stated that the Whitney vehicle, a 1950 Ford, four-door sedan, traveling south from Baskin towards Winnsboro left the highway from the left lane and traveled about 150 feet on the shoulder, raced into a bar pit and then rolled over and over for another 100 feet. As the car was overturning Whitney was thrown clear of the vehicle.

Dr. H. E. Jones, Franklin Parish coroner, stated that the man died from a crushed chest and skull.

The officer stated that Whitney's car was completely demolished. No estimate of the speed of the vehicle was given.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 4 p.m. at the Coax Baptist Church with Rev. W. Braswell officiating, assisted by Rev. Wilson Rawls.

Interment, under the direction of the First National Funeral Home of Winnsboro will follow in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers are C. H. Nelson, W. E. Nugent, Elton Goodman, Richard Goodman, Dawsey Jones, and W. W. Williamson.

Survivors include four sisters, Mrs. Alice Goodman, Mrs. J. H. Cook, and Mrs. M. W. Cook, all of Winnsboro, and Mrs. W. E. Givins, Haughton, La.; three brothers, Archie Whitney, Edward Whitney, of Winnsboro, and Jessie Whitney of Willet, Calif.

Warmer Weather Expected Today

A majority of the Louisiana population can expect to enjoy warmer weather Sunday and Monday according to government weather observers.

During the two-day period in Arkansas, forecasters see indications of partly cloudy weather with mercury readings not dipping too low.

CAA officials last night at Selman Field reported that the high reading of temperature yesterday was recorded as 50 degrees with a low temperature of 35 degrees.

They stated there was a possibility that the mercury would drop below this minimum today.

Not Superstitious, But Wanted Twins

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18 (AP)—Raymond Salm, 37, isn't superstitious but he was hoping for twins when he bundled up his wife last night for her 13th trip to the hospital.

Up until that hour they had six boys and six girls. "We wanted twins—a boy and a girl—to keep it even," Salm said.

But he flashed a well-practiced grin as the nurse gave him the word: "it's a boy!"

Salm is a radio-television repairman.

Banana Boat Hits Giant Oil Tanker

Vessels Collide In Dense Fog, Off Cape May

Fire Rages For Two Hours Aboard Petroleum Ship

CAPE MAY, N. J., Dec. 18 (AP) — A supertanker and a banana boat collided in fog-wrapped lower Delaware Bay today, starting a fire which raged for nearly two hours on the tanker.

No one was reported injured.

The collision, which occurred shortly after 8 a.m. 25 to 28 miles off Cape May, involved the 10,335-ton tanker Atlantic Capetown and the 5,383-ton United Fruit Co. freighter Maya. Neither vessel carried cargo.

The ships rammed together in pelting rain, which, combined with the fog, made visibility zero.

The tanker, operated by the Atlantic Refining Co., can carry about 4,200,000 gallons of crude oil. It has a crew of 42 captained by an Italian named Magdanicci. neither Atlantic Refining nor any other source could supply fuller identification.

A company spokesman in Philadelphia said the fire broke out in the number four and five port tanks on the tanker, but was put out by members of the crew and Coast Guardsmen from Cape May, Gloucester, N.J., and Lewes, Del.

Boatswain's Mate Robert Bowden, of the Lewes detachment, told newsmen that the freighter hit the tanker broadside, and that the tanker had a hole midship big enough to drive an auto through.

The tanker was aground on the Delaware side about 200 yards off a point called Elbow Cross Light.

The freighter, its bow stowed in, was anchored off the Delaware side about 500 yards from the tanker.

Captained by James Kerr, of Yonkers, N.Y., the freighter has a crew of 51. It unloaded its banana cargo in New York earlier this week and was travelling to Baltimore to pick up a cargo of general merchandise and head for Havana and Panama.

The oil carrier, flying a Liberian flag, is owned by Tanker Transport, Inc., and leased by Atlantic Refining. It was outbound in Ballast for Venezuela.

Coast Guardsmen said they believed both ships could make port on their own, but there was no indication either one meant to do so for the time being.



LONG SEPARATION ENDS HAPPILY — Four-year-old Bernd Roepnack makes a flying leap for his mother's arms as they are reunited in Savannah, Ga., after a 5-months separation. The lad, traveling from Bad Aibling, Germany, crossed the Atlantic Ocean by himself. He was met in New York by his father, Dr. Claus Roepnack, a physician on the staff at the Central of Georgia Hospital in Savannah. The boy's arrival provided a storybook ending to a plot that began in August when the parents told a newsman of their loneliness for their only child. Townsfolk, club leaders and a Congressman went to work cutting red tape to obtain a visa. Thus, this Christmas, according to the Roepnacks, will be the happiest of their lives. (AP Photo)

Jes' Ramblin'

Christmas is a time of sweet remembrances. Those who have of this world's goods are inclined to shower presents to their immediate kindred and often to their close friends. The magic word, Christmas seems to open the inmost hearts of persons who in some cases have been as hard as steel all through the year. But, when the greatest day in all the year comes, when they think of the Babe born in a lowly stable in far off Bethlehem, they forget the world and its cares and are ready to give of their stores of this world's goods.

But then there are others who are not blessed with so much but their hearts are also moved to acts of unselfishness. They forget dull care, their limitations, and hastening to some nearby church they are eager to join in the singing of Carols to the new born King. Oh, it is a story that is linked with the age of centuries, but it is ever new. It lives, it thrills at this time of each and every year.

If this unselfishness that is an attribute of a Christlike character could be distributed through the year, what a worthwhile place it would be to live in here through the year. Let us hope that the passage of Christmas will not result in slumping back into that competitive, cutthroat life that so many are living. Let the Christ-

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Red-Faced U. S. Army In Berlin Hoping Beautiful Spy Will Plead Guilty

BERLIN, Dec. 8 (AP) — U. S. officials acknowledged tonight that the Russians were able to buy the order of battle for the Allied defense of West Berlin for only $375.

The information was transmitted to the Russians through Irmgard Margarethe Schmidt, flashing eyed East German beauty who was caught only three weeks ago after a year and a half of intimate contact with two top American Intelligence chiefs.

The 25-year-old fraulein will be tried Tuesday before a U.S. High Commission court on three charges that she transmitted the order of battle, along with details of Air Force and Army Intelligence setups to the Russians, that she tried to obtain the names, places and operational details of the Intelligence in an effort to obtain still more.

The basic charge of espionage states that Miss Schmidt was paid about $375 for her efforts.

Embarrassed American officials said they expected—in fact hoped—that the modern Mata Hari would plead guilty when she is arraigned next week. Otherwise, they conceded, the details of her double life as mistress of an Intelligence colonel and a sometime "date" of a civilian chief would have to be developed in open court. Thus far the names of the two men have been kept secret.

The girl had a job for a time in the colonel's office. He was trans-

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Board Denies Death Verdict Commutation

OAK GROVE, Dec. 18 (Special) —The state board of pardons this week denied a plea for commutation of the death sentence of Tom Johnson, 42-years-old Epps plantation farm hand convicted on November 25, 1953, for the pistol slaying of Henry Lewis, a West Carroll plantation overseer.

Wilburn Lunn, executive counsel for Gov. Robert Kennon in Baton Rouge, said that the "report of the special hearing has been received and will be acted on in due course." All that remains is for the governor to sign the death warrant for Johnson, who has been in the West Carroll jail since the murder.

Johnson was convicted of the slaying by a 12-man jury and was sentenced to die in the state's electric chair by Judge C. J. Ellis.

Although no comment was made as to the probable date of the execution it was reported here that the date would be shortly after the first of the year.

Bleeding Bosco Child In Critical Condition

By PAUL JASPER
Staff Writer

A four-year-old Bosco boy who has been bleeding steadily since he bit his tongue 10 days ago was in critical condition Saturday at Charity hospital in New Orleans.

Melvin Berger, son of Mrs. Betty Berger, was flown by private airplane to New Orleans Friday after physicians at E. A. Conway Memorial Hospital in Monroe failed to stop the bleeding.

The boy is a victim of hemophilia, a condition in which the blood will not clot normally. He was born with the disease.

Melvin was admitted to the Monroe hospital December 8, after he tripped while running at his home and bit his tongue, severely lacerating it.

Forrest Clay, the boy's grandfather, said here Saturday Melvin has been given "at least one or two pints" of blood every day since the accident occurred.

Friday, physicians here decided they were unable to stop the bleeding and the boy was rushed by police escort to Selman Field, and emplaned to New Orleans at 11:15 a.m.

Clay, superintendent of bus maintenance for the Ouachita parish school system here, said the boy was still in critical condition at last reports.

The boy's mother, who is separated from the father, was with Melvin in New Orleans.

Clay said Melvin has been in hospitals numerous times throughout his young life, and several weeks ago almost died when he bruised the interior of his throat.

He was taken to a Shreveport hospital on that occasion and recovered after "four or five" days.

Melvin is an only child.

He was taken to Selman field by Police Capt. J. E. McMullen and Officer Ocie Howard in a police car, and taken to New Orleans in a plane owned by Joe Joseph of Monroe.

Aid Asked For Drouth Victims In N. E. La.

Congressman Otto E. Passman stated today from his Washington office that he is making every effort to secure surplus commodities for distribution to the unfortunate citizens of the Fifth district who are in economic distress on account of the devastating drouth.

Mr. Passman stated that he went to Washington to confer with Leonard Trainer, head of the food distribution division, agricultural marketing service, department of agriculture, and to secure factual information before commenting publicly on the matter. The following report was secured by Mr. Passman relative to the distribution of surplus commodities to citizens in Louisiana:

"Legislation has been in effect several years that would permit the distribution of surplus commodities to distressed citizens, but for many years the law has not been used in behalf of individuals, rather surplus commodities have been distributed to schools and other public institutions. Inasmuch as all of the parishes of the Fifth Congressional district have been declared in the disaster area, under the law passed several years ago, the Department of Agriculture could immediately put into effect a distribution program that would benefit individuals. In order for distressed citizens of the Fifth district to participate, officials of the State of Louisiana would have to designate a Louisiana agency to supervise the distribution of the surplus commodities. Surplus foods would have to be shipped in carload lots and go to certain re-

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Huge Italian Ship Dives Off Pier Into Bay

New York Scene Of Grim Tragedy; Six Are Rescued

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 —UP —An Italian trans-Atlantic airliner carrying 32 persons careened off a landing light and crashed in flames in Jamaica Bay Saturday on its fourth attempt to make a radar landing during a rainstorm at Idlewild Airport.

There were six known survivors. All the women and two children among the 22 passengers aboard the huge four-engined DC-68B apparently died, along with the 10-member crew. Many of those aboard were coming to the U. S. for Christmas.

The airline said nine bodies had been recovered and 17 were missing among the five Americans, one Iranian and 26 Italians on the plane, which left Rome late Friday. Four of the five Americans survived.

Some of the victims apparently went down with the plane in 35 feet of water. Others were dumped into the ice cold water of Jamaica Bay. At least one, a woman was trapped in her seat when she could not wrench her safety belt loose.

This was the first major disaster in the history of the world's largest civil airport.

The search for bodies continued into the night, with searchlights beamed on the black waters. Helicopters and small boats scoured the bay.

The Douglas airliner, one of the largest in commercial service, was bringing an unusually large cargo of Christmas parcels to the United States, along with persons planning to spend the holiday with friends and relatives here. Some had not notified their families in advance, hoping to surprise them.

The Civil Aoernautics Administration said the plane circled the airport for two hours trying to land on the instrument runway used in bad weather.

The 200-foot-wide runway ex-

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Storm Weather Brings Toll Of Traffic Deaths

By UNITED PRESS

Bad weather and icy roads Saturday wrote a grim close to the week in which the nation observed "Safe Driving Day."

Stormy weather over much of the nation caused at least 29 deaths since 6 a.m. Friday, a United Press tally showed.

Illinois reported eight deaths, Indiana five, Texas and Nebraska three each, Michigan and Iowa two each and one each in Pennsylvania, Minnesota, New York, Oregon, Ohio and Washington.

At Paducah, Tex., blowing dust was blamed for the death of three high school students whose car collided with a freight train.

From Pennsylvania to Oregon, light snow and freezing rain made highways treacherous.

At Chrisman, Ill., four students were killed when their car skidded into a truck Friday night.

Earlier in the day a similar accident killed four workmen on a slippery road in Indiana.

Snow throughout the Midwest ranged from three to six inches over most of Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan, and one to two inches in northern Illinois and Indiana and most of Iowa.

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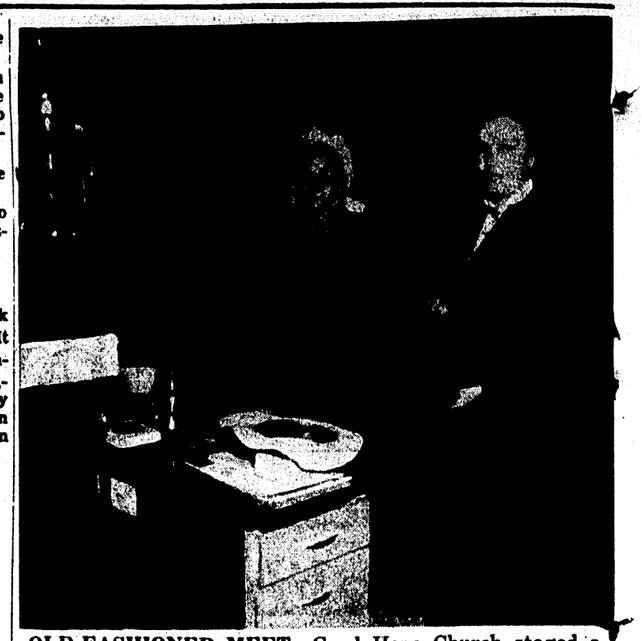
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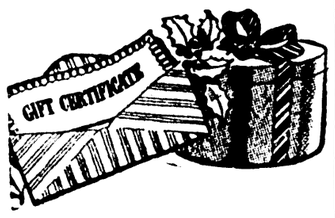






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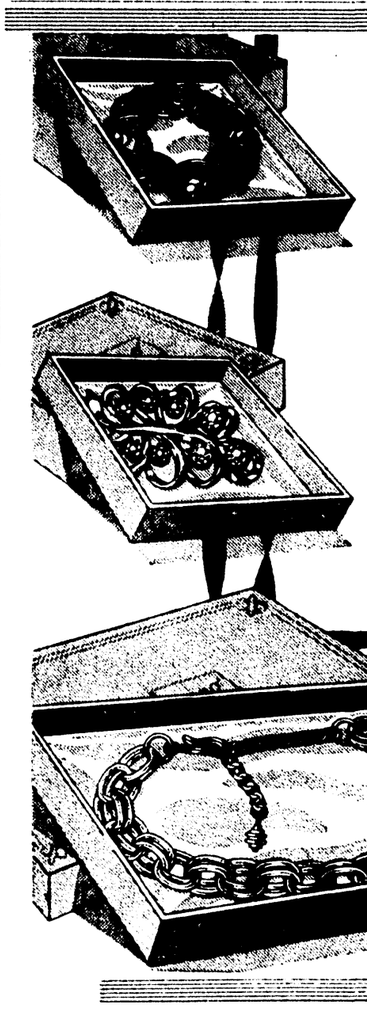
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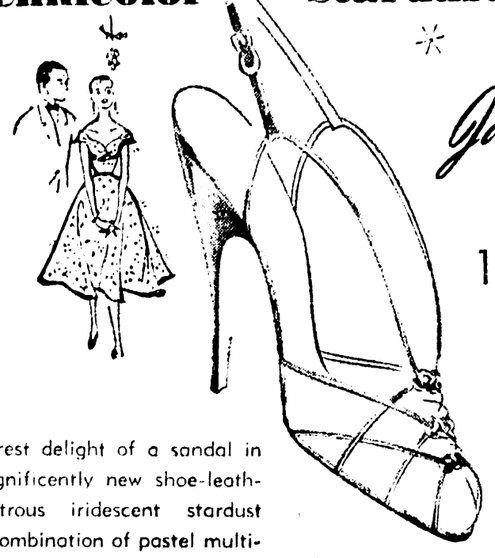
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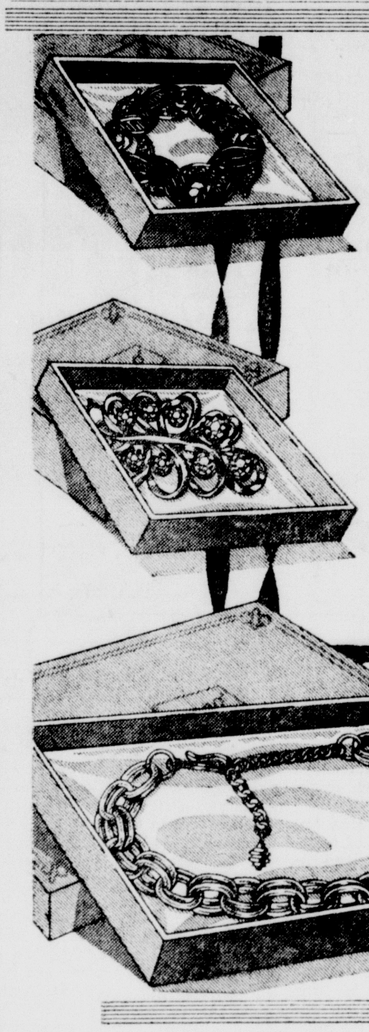
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These Changing Times
Loss Of The Family Spirit

Christmas season brings to so many people each year the joy and the happiness of having one's entire family at home. To many Americans, the spirit of a big family has not been lost in its entirety. To far more, however, the family unit and relationship is a thing of the past.

This nation was in part made great by the American spirit of teamwork, that spirit which first began in the clan or family group relationship. Modern ideas have changed and "streamlined" the entire concept of loyalty and love for one's relations. Now, "modern mothers" restrict the numbers of children they believe they are "able to afford" to tie in with their family budget.

In so very many homes, young Americans wait until they can purchase a new automobile, or perhaps a new icebox before they plan children. In short, the materialist philosophy is helping to destroy that which God intended, the family. People forget so quick, their marriage vows in favor of purchases on the installment plan.

Since when are material possessions better than the joy of having children?

Many "modern mothers" are working nowadays, and sociologists foresee tragedy in the numbers of broken homes and shattered young minds due to the fact that "keeping up with the Joneses" has become far more important than having children. In so many homes, the children are left to "fend for themselves" or are raised by others not in the family while the parents spend their hours elsewhere. Thus, the spirit of the family is lost to young children who have small regard for their family.

Americans are today attempting to solve the problem of juvenile delinquency. Few believe that such could start at home due to parental neglect instead of at school or some place else. History records that this American change is not new in the story of human affairs. Ancient Romans greatly assisted in their own destruction by permitting the family units to dissolve in several generations of merry-making. Morals declined and the citizenry became rotten "at the core."

With a steady decline in morals and values, the official life followed suit and the story of a once great civilization is now only a legend.

Modernism preaches a new and false concept of values to the American people. Americans are rapidly becoming stereotyped—what one does, the other must do. If it suddenly becomes popular to cease having large families, millions of future children remain unborn and the progress of a nation is halted.

All over this nation, trends are changing. Modern home appliances make the "art of living" a far easier task than it was even a quarter century ago. Youngsters are taught in some "progressive schools" to ignore the requests and the orders of their parents and are encouraged to become arrogant and belligerent. They are encouraged to sever their ties with their family as early as possible.

What a great tragedy is incurred in this miserable trend. What is more wonderful at Christmas or any other time of the year than one's home and family? No matter the size of the home, no matter the number of automobiles in the garage, it's still home and it can't be bettered by any place of amusement or relaxation.

Yet, what is a home unless there is a family to brighten one's life? What is a Christmas tree without children, or what is an Easter season without joyful young faces of expectancy?

Americans, what is happening to this country and to this people that modernism can change the love of one's family to the love of something else far less important? All over the world, people are starving this year. Yet, in their starvation, they are finding solace in their love for their family and as such, they are as the saying goes "finding a way."

The Bible clearly tells us the importance of having families and respecting those families. One of God's commandments instructs that the father and the mother are to be honored. Yet, few people know the Commandments, much less, live by them.

Fellow citizens, it is not at all necessary for this newspaper to again advise of the critical nature of the times. Here in this era, the people are going through what might eventually be termed the end of a civilization. Never in the history of the United States have the American people needed unity and solidarity more than now.

Instead, the opposite is the present case. Loss of the family spirit could prove one of the greatest factors in loss of this nation. The enemies of the free world are on record as opposing the family unit because the leaders of that conspiracy truly realize that their ideas can never penetrate the confines of a home devoted to love and loyalty through Jesus Christ, the Savior.

As such, the home and the family are prime targets.

This Christmas, do your utmost to bring your family about you. In the new year ahead, resolve that your family will be second to nothing in importance. Don't let "modernism" destroy a way of life which has helped make a great country.

The United States as a nation depends on you.

The Constitution And The Executive

Those who make a study of the present impasse of the rights of citizens are fast coming to the conclusion that there is a determined effort on the part of "planners" to destroy what is left of the Federal Constitution and the rights of citizens. Ironically enough, those who have fervently denounced the "bookburners" and the "witch-hunters" are themselves attempting to silence the defenders of the constitution.

In recent years, the "liberal" or "wide" interpretation of the constitution has brought the nation from the status of a Republic to that of a "democracy" or nearly a mobocracy which is exactly what the founders feared and attempted to avoid. Few citizens realize the greatness of the founders of this country. They had vision not possessed by any present day statesman. They attempted to protect the nation from every foreseeable eventuality and for years, their work was a pronounced success.

Amendment after amendment followed however, until recently, a tie vote in the Supreme Court nearly enabled the clique of internationalists in Washington to turn the American people over to the "United Nations". Those who scream about the loss of their "rights" are the very first to take the fifth amendment when asked about their Marxist connections. A Marxist does not and cannot stand for the rights of individuals because Marxism denies the individual.

Therefore, those who preach concerning the "bookburners" and the demagogues are themselves guilty of prevarication and of spreading false ideas and values. The United States was designed as a Republic. Three branches of government were set up, each with equal powers in a delicate balance. Today, through the actions of many legislators, with the added impetus of a worship of personalities, the executive department is far more powerful than either the courts or the congress. Through the method of patronage and influence, the executive has in the past overruled the legislative on numerous counts.

One of the most flagrant violations on these lines is the FEPC clause concerning government contracts. Although the congress on numerous occasions has absolutely refused on constitutional grounds to pass an FEPC, the administration has seen fit to demand that any contractor who signs a contract with the Federal government must agree to hire as the government proscribes. If you are a home builder and your sole occupation is the building of homes, but on the side, you sign a subcontract with a larger contractor to supply him with (for instance) cement forms for a sidewalk for a government project, you can be told who to hire and who to fire.

If this is not compulsory action, what is?

Then, Americans in the armed forces lose all rights to their freedoms through the "status of forces treaty". They lose the backing of their government through international agreements. Now, they stand to lose their freedoms in this nation by treaty actions signed with another government. In short, the constitution and the basic rights of Americans under a sovereign government are under severe attack.

If the constitution is thrown by the wayside, you lose your freedoms. It is extremely difficult for the average American to understand this situation until something "comes home." Even now, Americans are devoted to personality consideration rather than overall views. The President of the United States has now been placed in a most unique position. He is the most powerful potentate in the history of the nation, or perhaps even, the world.

Although there is some difference of opinion as to which is the most powerful, the United States or the Soviet Union, it is believed that the U. S. is now the most powerful nation in the world. As such, President Eisenhower would amount to the most powerful single individual.

Under the present setup, he could make international agreements so binding as to affect every American. The system of checks and balances in the government is nearly abolished and the executive department as such is now more powerful than ever before. Numerous constitutional attorneys have stated in viewing the situation, that the American president is now possessed of powers not dreamed imaginable by the founders of the nation.

One stated that in reviewing the present powers of the executive, he was unable to find equal powers as were possseed by even "the kings and monarchs of old." Moreover, a Senator who did not want his name mentioned, said that the President had received advice from his "White House guard" to the effect that he was "Mr. President, boss!"

Messrs. Roosevelt and Truman needed no such advice as they merely followed such advice to the letter. The Senators and Congressmen are greatly influenced by the personality of any President who can now take to the airwaves and the news columns and "get just about what he wants."

In the hands of lesser men, this could prove a terrible catastrophe.

The situation, far from being improved, is worsening. The people are falling more under the sway of an individual who tells them what they want and what he personally thinks is good for them, than they are attempting to find out for themselves.

Fellow Americans, it's your constitution and your rights which you are about to lose. Better think it over before it's too late. One nation after the other during the course of human history has fallen under the same conditions. Unless the checks and balances of the three branches of government are returned, unless the congress fully realizes its present almost intolerable position, what freedoms you now hold as citizens, will be lost for good.

If not for yourself, think of your children.

As citizens, it's up to you.

Beloved Prelates Speak FOR America

Two great Catholic prelates, Cardinal Spellman and Archbishop Cushing, spoke out this week on important aspects of the battle against Communism.

Archbishop Cushing, in Boston, deplored what he called the **"prevailing attitude to discredit the virtue of patriotism."** Cardinal Spellman, speaking in Worcester, assailed the God-haters who prevail over patriots. He then pointed out that America may soon become the **"last stronghold of Christian civilization—an isolated and beleaguered citadel of law and liberty, of mercy and charity, of justice among men and of love and good will for our neighbors."**

And again in behalf of American freedom, Cardinal Spellman declared:

"We must make America the center of resistance to evil which is devastating the world, and more than that, we must make it the center of resurrection, the source of inspiration by which men may be made and kept free."

Archbishop Cushing said that the attack on patriotism, because it has sometimes been abused, is as illogical as to attack the idea of religion because hypocrites sometimes pretend to possess it or parade it for evil reasons of their own.

Archbishop Cushing also spoke a good word for repentant Communists who have seen the error of their ways and put themselves at the disposal of the law enforcement agencies of this government to help expose the Communist conspiracy to which they once belonged.

This is much-needed praise, considering the vilification heaped on these ex-Communists by many newspapers, magazines and radio commentators, the obvious purpose being to destroy the very people who are helping to expose the Communist conspiracy.

These two great prelates of the Catholic Church have spoken truly at a time when, unfortunately, many sinister forces would destroy the belief of all Americans in this nation. The Communist schemers would make us forget the high purposes for which this nation was founded and the light which we have lit for the down-trodden and enslaved all over the world.

At a time when many Pontius Pilate-like ministers stand aside from this battle for human freedom, the stirring words from these two great Catholic prelates are to be highly commended.

Thanks to William Loeb of Manchester, New Hampshire, for this excellent analysis.—The Editor.

THE THROWBACK



Public Forum—Voice Of All The People

A Professional Risk

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Recent court decisions with assessment of heavy damages against physicians, are bound to have far reaching effects on the medical practice in this area.

A most striking parallel in two recent cases, is that both were treated without charge and without the expectation of receiving any fee.

All physicians treat some patients without charge, sometimes because of close friendships, sometimes the desire to render Christian charity is the reason. Whatever the reason, when a physician realizes that in undertaking an act of kindness or charity, he entails a risk of his professional reputation and life savings for no compensation, he will be far less willing to offer his services.

In both cases, a grave injustice was rendered. A detailed refutation of the courts findings would be unseemly, I feel, because the cases are yet in litigation. It is however, my genuine conviction that in neither case was the patient ill treated, and that the physicians concerned have suffered damages they did not deserve.

A MONROE PHYSICIAN

Editorial Shows Lack Of Confidence In Officials

Monroe, La.

Editor, Morning World:

Your editorial "Judge Harlan-Speculation" is filled with doubts and misgivings. Your lack of confidence in our fine elected officials, as well as the outstanding men of great learning appointed to high position overshadows by far the "meat" of the editorial.

The American people are not easy dupes, nor are they fools. You may be sure they are justified in their loyalty and great confidence they have for these leaders, who toil incessantly for our country.

A READER.

The Three Classes

Los Angeles, Calif.

Editor, Morning World:

One of our leading papers recently presented a cartoon of Uncle Sam, very grim and determined looking and peeling a kid glove from a hand that looked as big and hard as a petrified ham, while he faced a leering Chinese across a body of water.

I'm afraid that the cartoon has committed a criminal libel against the Old Gentleman. Of course, in the rough days of buckskin chaps and Teddy Roosevelt, such might be applicable.

But since then the Old Man has been taught the blessings of feather dusters, stripped pants, and top hats, and of tolerant magnanimity, especially as applied to Communists, anti-anti Communists and One Worlders.

And, oh, yes! The News of Woonsocket S. D. remarks that "People come in three classes. The few who make things happen, the many who watch things happen, and the overwhelming majority who don't know what happened."

LESLIE A. SHAW.

Don't Leave Christ Out Of Christmas

Monroe, La.

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These Changing Times
Loss Of The Family Spirit

Christmas season brings to so many people each year the joy and the happiness of having one's entire family at home. To many Americans, the spirit of a big family has not been lost in its entirety. To far more, however, the family unit and relationship is a thing of the past.

This nation was in part made great by the American spirit of teamwork, that spirit which first began in the clan or family group relationship. Modern ideas have changed and "streamlined" the entire concept of loyalty and love for one's relations. Now, "modern mothers" restrict the numbers of children they believe they are "able to afford" to tie in with their family budget.

In so very many homes, young Americans wait until they can purchase a new automobile, or perhaps a new icebox before they plan children. In short, the materialist philosophy is helping to destroy that which God intended, the family. People forget so quick, their marriage vows in favor of purchases on the installment plan.

Since when are material possessions better than the joy of having children?

Many "modern mothers" are working nowadays, and sociologists foresee tragedy in the numbers of broken homes and shattered young minds due to the fact that "keeping up with the Joneses" has become far more important than having children. In so many homes, the children are left to "fend for themselves" or are raised by others not in the family while the parents spend their hours elsewhere. Thus, the spirit of the family is lost to young children who have small regard for their family.

Americans are today attempting to solve the problem of juvenile delinquency. Few believe that such could start at home due to parental neglect instead of at school or some place else. History records that this American change is not new in the story of human affairs. Ancient Romans greatly assisted in their own destruction by permitting the family units to dissolve in several generations of merry-making. Morals declined and the citizenry became rotten "at the core."

With a steady decline in morals and values, the official life followed suit and the story of a once great civilization is now only a legend.

Modernism preaches a new and false concept of values to the American people. Americans are rapidly becoming stereotyped—what one does, the other must do. If it suddenly becomes popular to cease having large families, millions of future children remain unborn and the progress of a nation is halted.

All over this nation, trends are changing. Modern home appliances make the "art of living" a far easier task than it was even a quarter century ago. Youngsters are taught in some "progressive schools" to ignore the requests and the orders of their parents and are encouraged to become arrogant and belligerent. They are encouraged to sever their ties with their family as early as possible.

What a great tragedy is incurred in this miserable trend. What is more wonderful at Christmas or any other time of the year than one's home and family? No matter the size of the home, no matter the number of automobiles in the garage, it's still home and it can't be bettered by any place of amusement or relaxation.

Yet, what is a home unless there is a family to brighten one's life? What is a Christmas tree without children, or what is an Easter season without joyful young faces of expectancy?

Americans, what is happening to this country and to this people that modernism can change the love of one's family to the love of something else far less important? All over the world, people are starving this year. Yet, in their starvation, they are finding solace in their love for their family and as such, they are as the saying goes "finding a way."

The Bible clearly tells us the importance of having families and respecting those families. One of God's commandments instructs that the father and the mother are to be honored. Yet, few people know the Commandments, much less, live by them.

Fellow citizens, it is not at all necessary for this newspaper to again advise of the critical nature of the times. Here in this era, the people are going through what might eventually be termed the end of a civilization. Never in the history of the United States have the American people needed unity and solidarity more than now.

Instead, the opposite is the present case. Loss of the family spirit could prove one of the greatest factors in loss of this nation. The enemies of the free world are on record as opposing the family unit because the leaders of that conspiracy fully realize that their ideas can never penetrate the confines of a home devoted to love and loyalty through Jesus Christ, the Savior.

As such, the home and the family are prime targets.

This Christmas, do your utmost to bring your family about you. In the new year ahead, resolve that your family will be second to nothing in importance. Don't let "modernism" destroy a way of life which has helped make a great country.

The United States as a nation depends on you.

The Constitution And The Executive

Those who make a study of the present impasse of the rights of citizens are fast coming to the conclusion that there is a determined effort on the part of "planners" to destroy what is left of the Federal Constitution and the rights of citizens. Ironically enough, those who have fervently denounced the "bookburners" and the "witch-hunters" are themselves attempting to silence the defenders of the constitution.

In recent years, the "liberal" or "wide" interpretation of the constitution has brought the nation from the status of a Republic to that of a "democracy" or nearly a mob-ocracy which is exactly what the founders feared and attempted to avoid. Few citizens realize the greatness of the founders of this country. They had vision not possessed by any present day statesman. They attempted to protect the nation from every foreseeable eventuality and for years, their work was a pronounced success.

Amendment after amendment followed however, until recently, a tie vote in the Supreme Court nearly enabled the clique of internationalists in Washington to turn the American people over to the "United Nations". Those who scream about the loss of their "rights" are the very first to take the fifth amendment when asked about their Marxist connections. A Marxist does not and cannot stand for the rights of individuals because Marxism denies the individual.

Therefore, those who preach concerning the "book-burners" and the demagogues are themselves guilty of prevarication and of spreading false ideas and values. The United States was designed as a Republic. Three branches of government were set up, each with equal powers in a delicate balance. Today, through the actions of many legislators, with the added impetus of a worship of personalities, the executive department is far more powerful than either the courts or the congress. Through the method of patronage and influence, the executive has in the past overruled the legislative on numerous counts.

One of the most flagrant violations on these lines is the FEPC clause concerning government contracts. Although the congress on numerous occasions has absolutely refused on constitutional grounds to pass an FEPC, the administration has seen fit to demand that any contractor who signs a contract with the Federal government must agree to hire as the government proscribes. If you are a home builder and your sole occupation is the building of homes, but on the side, you sign a subcontract with a larger contractor to supply him with (for instance) cement forms for a sidewalk for a government project, you can be told who to hire and who to fire.

If this is not compulsory action, what is?

Then, Americans in the armed forces lose all rights to their freedoms through the "status of forces treaty". They lose the backing of their government through international agreements. Now, they stand to lose their freedoms in this nation by treaty actions signed with another government. In short, the constitution and the basic rights of Americans under a sovereign government are under severe attack.

If the constitution is thrown by the wayside, you lose your freedoms. It is extremely difficult for the average American to understand this situation until something "comes home." Even now, Americans are devoted to personality consideration rather than overall views. The President of the United States has now been placed in a most unique position. He is the most powerful potentate in the history of the nation, or perhaps even, the world.

Although there is some difference of opinion as to which is the most powerful, the United States or the Soviet Union, it is believed that the U. S. is now the most powerful nation in the world. As such, President Eisenhower would amount to the most powerful single individual.

Under the present setup, he could make international agreements so binding as to affect every American. The system of checks and balances in the government is nearly abolished and the executive department as such is now more powerful than ever before. Numerous constitutional attorneys have stated in viewing the situation, that the American president is now possessed of powers not dreamed imaginable by the founders of the nation.

One stated that in reviewing the present powers of the executive, he was unable to find equal powers as were possseed by even "the kings and monarchs of old." Moreover, a Senator who did not want his name mentioned, said that the President had received advice from his "White House guard" to the effect that he was "Mr. President, boss!"

Messrs. Roosevelt and Truman needed no such advice as they merely followed such advice to the letter. The Senators and Congressmen are greatly influenced by the personality of any President who can now take to the airwaves and the news columns and "get just about what he wants."

In the hands of lesser men, this could prove a terrible catastrophe.

The situation, far from being improved, is worsening. The people are falling more under the sway of an individual who tells them what they want and what he personally thinks is good for them, than they are attempting to find out for themselves.

Fellow Americans, it's your constitution and your rights which you are about to lose. Better think it over before it's too late. One nation after the other during the course of human history has fallen under the same conditions. Unless the checks and balances of the three branches of government are returned, unless the congress fully realizes its present almost intolerable position, what freedoms you now hold as citizens, will be lost for good.

If not for yourself, think of your children.

As citizens, it's up to you.

Beloved Prelates Speak FOR America

Two great Catholic prelates, Cardinal Spellman and Archbishop Cushing, spoke out this week on important aspects of the battle against Communism.

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"We must make America the center of resistance to evil which is devastating the world, and more than that, we must make it the center of resurrection, the source of inspiration by which men may be made and kept free."

Archbishop Cushing said that the attack on patriotism, because it has sometimes been abused, is as illogical as to attack the idea of religion because hypocrites sometimes pretend to possess it or parade it for evil reasons of their own.

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These two great prelates of the Catholic Church have spoken truly at a time when, unfortunately, many sinister forces would destroy the belief of all Americans in this nation. The Communist schemers would make us forget the high purposes for which this nation was founded and the light which we have lit for the down-trodden and enslaved all over the world.

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THE THROWBACK



Public Forum—Voice Of All The People

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A MONROE PHYSICIAN

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But since then the Old Man has been taught the blessings of feather dusters, stripped pants, and top hats, and of tolerant magnanimity, especially as applied to Communists, anti-anti Communists and One Worlders.

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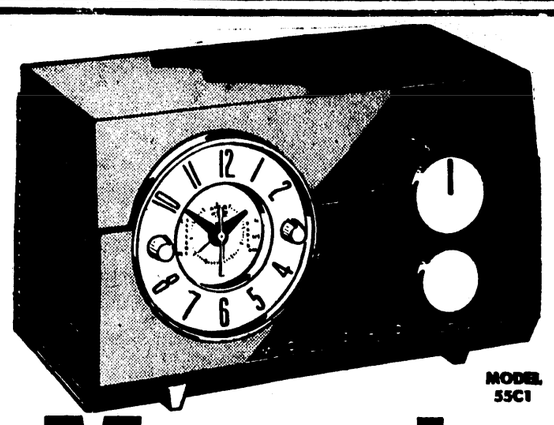
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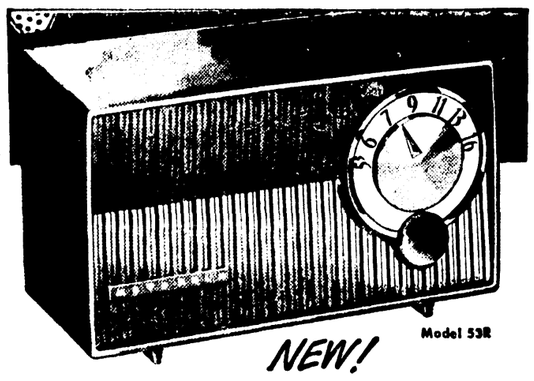


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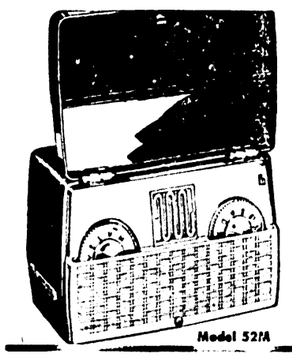
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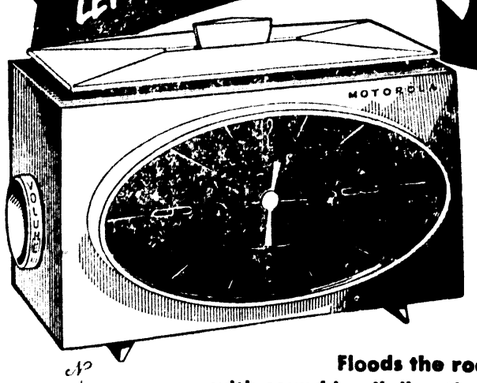
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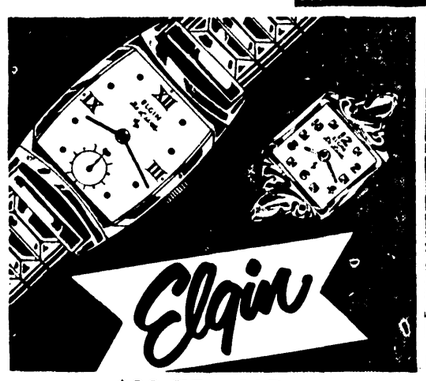


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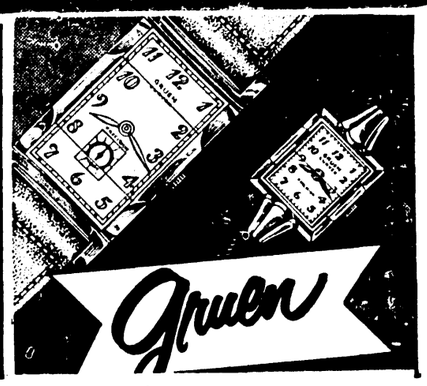
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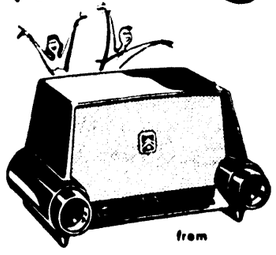
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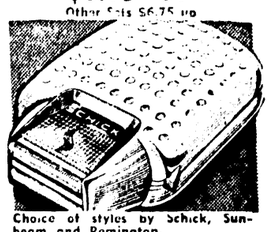


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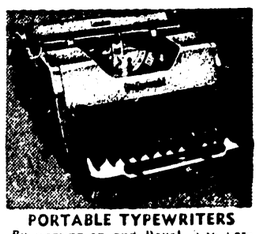
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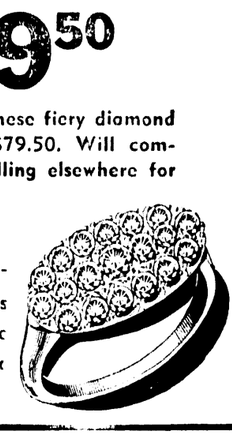
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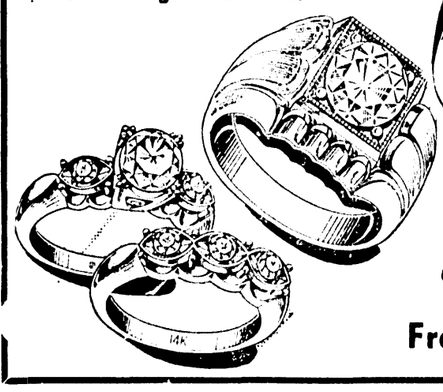
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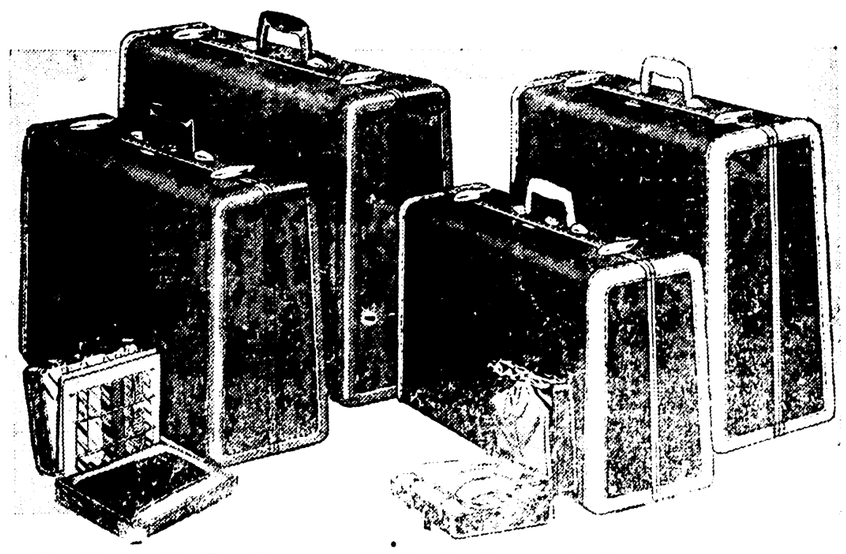
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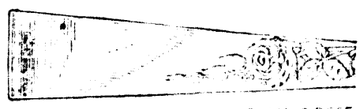
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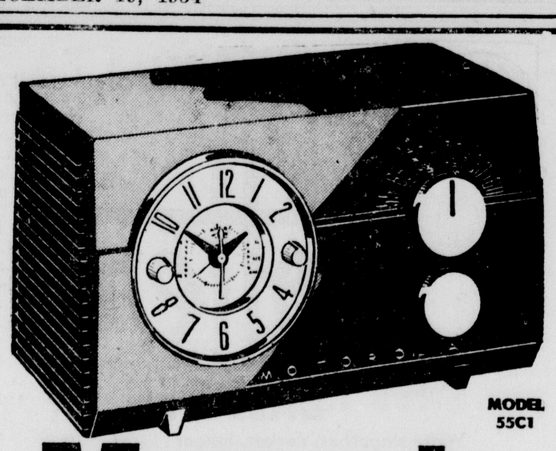
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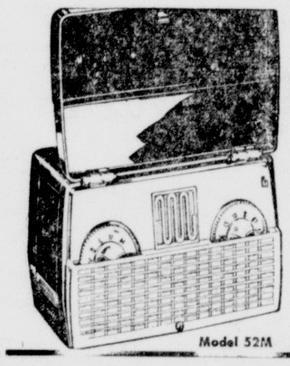
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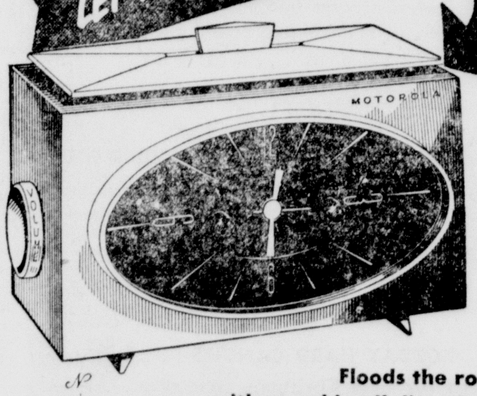
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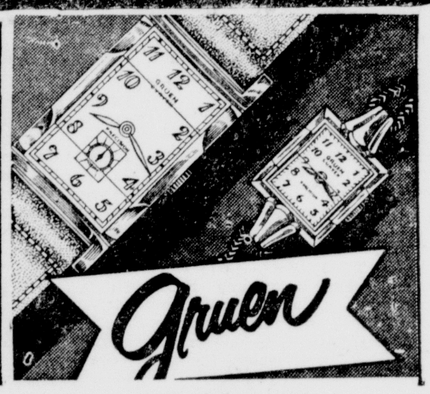
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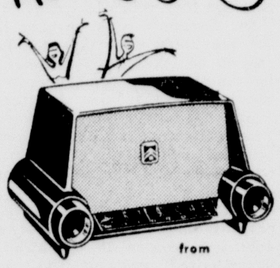


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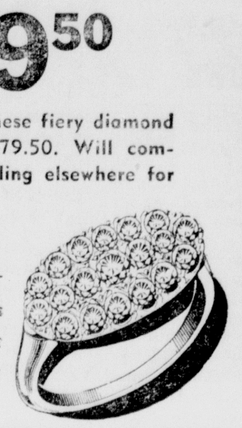
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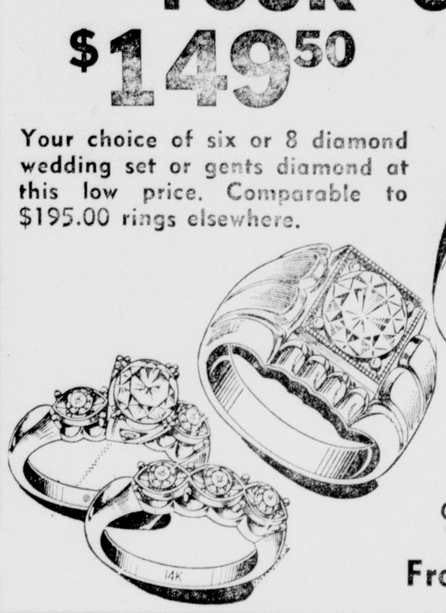




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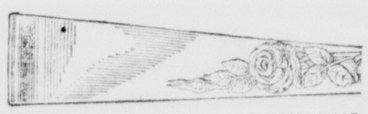
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Recipient of the $100 saving bond award last night given away by the Chamber of Commerce, was Mrs. Reese Halley, Box 175, Delhi, La.

The Chamber of Commerce for the past three days has been "plucking" a registering slip from the 60 "official" stores combined stubs which have been centralized at the News-Star—World office, and awarding the lucky person a $100 bond or a choice of $75 in cash.

This mode of drawing will continue until Thursday night. The next scheduled selection is Monday night.

A shopper, to be eligible for the bond or cash, must register at the participating stores at sometime throughout the day before 8 p. m.

Registrants are not required to make a purchase in any of the participating stores. There's no obligation on the part of the shopper. The winner is notified as soon as possible after the drawing at 8:30 p.m.

Mrs. Halley, last night's winner, was notified by Jim Williams, executive Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce in a two person cycle. A reporter was taking a story from Delhi when the drawing was taking place. After learning of the Delhi winner he turned over operations to Williams who relayed the message to the correspondent in Delhi who in turn called Mrs. Halley. Being rather skeptical of such a report, she later called the paper to confirm it.

Good Fellows

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Mr. & Mrs. A. H. Gerson	5.00
TOTAL:	$3250.88

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Lend a hand to one another
In the daily toil of life;
When we meet a weaker brother,
Let us help him in the strife.
There is none so rich but may,
In his turn be forced to borrow;
And the poor man's lot today
May become our own tomorrow.
—Anonymous.

We are on our way to do our part in aiding to make Christmas a happy day, and we are deeply thankful for the aid that good people are lending to us in our campaign. We now feel sure that we are going to realize $4,000, as we have been asking.

The Monroe Rotary Club, composed of as fine men as can be found anywhere, came forward as usual. We have a check for more than $180 from this source. But this was not all, they also supplied a good layout of toys which will make young America happy. Coca-Cola company employes also gave toys as did the Shrine Club. Sam Orchard, of the Louisiana Paper Company, provided paper and bags and Simmie Heninger donated sacks from the Lieber Company.

The First Christian Church, at its Christmas program tonight, will donate all the money collected to Good Fellows. We think this is a fine gesture on the part of Rev. R. T. Watson and church officials. All these kindly acts gladden our hearts and make our work a mission of love for fellow mankind.

Chris Carpenter, a guard on the University of North Carolina football team is the oldest man on the squad. He is 25 years old.

Huge Italian

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tends to the edge of the bay. Jutting 2,000 feet into the bay are two piers, blazing with neon landing lights day and night, to guide pilots to the runway. The plane smashed into the west pier, setting it afire, and then plummeted into the water.

Relatives who had waited at the airport while the plane circled above and then made its futile attempts to land sadly went about the grizzly task of identifying the bodies of those thrown from the plane as it ripped apart, burned and then sank less than a mile from the end of runway number four.

The plane, one of the largest in commercial service, was bringing 22 passengers, including two children, to the United States, many of them for Christmas. It had a crew of 10.

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The plane had been due to land at 11:30 a.m., after a flight from Rome, and it crashed at exactly 2 p.m. while coming down through the rain and overcast in an instrument approach monitored by radar on the ground.

The four-engined plane, which made its first regularly scheduled flight only last September, had made what passengers described as an uneventful flight from Rome, stopping at Milan, Italy, Paris and Boston before arriving here.

Nine persons, all Americans, left the ill-fated plane in Boston. It took off from there at 10:23 a.m. and was due to make a fast turn-around here, taking off for Rome at 6 p.m. via Boston and Shannon, Ireland.

When the plane came down for its fourth attempt to land, everything seemed to be all right to those on board. Most of the passengers were sitting in the front section of the plane, their seat belts fastened. Only a few were in the tail section.

The plane nosed down gently over Jamaica Bay, bearing down toward the guiding landing lights on a pier jutting 1,500 feet into the water from the end of the runway.

And then, suddenly, according to survivors, the plane struck a landing light on the pier, careened into the water and fell apart. Both the pier and the plane burst into flames as passengers and crew were dumped into the ice-cold water.

Those who were in the tail of the craft survived. Those in the nose died, according to police and firemen who rushed to the scene.

Red-Faced Army

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ferred from Berlin to the United States two months ago. A High Commission spokesman said nevertheless that "no personnel have been disciplined" as an outcome of the case.

Other authorities indicated the girl, known around West Berlin night spots as a handsomely dressed and bejewelled beauty, functioned as a double agent. These quarters said the two American agents lavished gifts on the girl, both for her affection and also in exchange for information she claimed to have obtained from the East.

One official said it was clear from interrogation that the girl played her role as dime novel spy more for the joy of high living than from any political convictions.

"She liked champagne," he commented.

Hatchet Swinger

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cept for personal papers and a broken wrist watch band were found in the hotel room the men had shared.

Peterson was last seen outside the room about 7 p.m. Reynolds later was seen in a restaurant in the same building, where he told a waitress his roommate was "sleeping heavily."

He later checked out of the hotel and disappeared.

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Delhi Woman Is Winner Of $100 Shopping Award

Recipient of the $100 saving bond award last night given away by the Chamber of Commerce, was Mrs. Reese Halley, Box 175, Delhi, La.

The Chamber of Commerce for the past three days has been "plucking" a registering slip from the 60 "official" stores combined stubs which have been centralized at the News-Star—World office, and awarding the lucky person a $100 bond or a choice of $75 in cash.

This mode of drawing will continue until Thursday night. The next scheduled selection is Monday night.

A shopper, to be eligible for the bond or cash, must register at the participating stores at sometime throughout the day before 8 p.m.

Registrants are not required to make a purchase in any of the participating stores. There's no obligation on the part of the shopper. The winner is notified as soon as possible after the drawing at 8:30 p.m.

Mrs. Halley, last night's winner, was notified by Jim Williams, executive Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce in a two person cycle. A reporter was taking a story from Delhi when the drawing was taking place. After learning of the Delhi winner he turned over operations to Williams who relayed the message to the correspondent in Delhi who in turn called Mrs. Halley. Being rather skeptical of such a report, she later called the paper to confirm it.

Good Fellows

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When we meet a weaker brother,
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And the poor man's lot today
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—Anonymous.

We are on our way to do our part in aiding to make Christmas a happy day, and we are deeply thankful for the aid that good people are lending to us in our campaign. We now feel sure that we are going to realize $4,000, as we have been asking.

The Monroe Rotary Club, composed of as fine men as can be found anywhere, came forward as usual. We have a check for more than $180 from this source. But this was not all, they also supplied a good layout of toys which will make young America happy. Coca-Cola company employes also gave toys as did the Shrine Club. Sam Orchard, of the Louisiana Paper Company, provided paper and bags and Simmie Heninger donated sacks from the Lieber Company.

The First Christian Church, at its Christmas program tonight, will donate all the money collected to Good Fellows. We think this is a fine gesture on the part of Rev. R. T. Watson and church officials. All these kindly acts gladden our hearts and make our work a mission of love for fellow mankind.

Chris Carpenter, a guard on the University of North Carolina football team is the oldest man on the squad. He is 25 years old.

Huge Italian

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tends to the edge of the bay. Jutting 2,000 feet into the bay are two piers, blazing with neon landing lights day and night, to guide pilots to the runway. The plane smashed into the west pier, setting it afire, and then plummeted into the water.

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When the plane came down for its fourth attempt to land, everything seemed to be all right to those on board. Most of the passengers were sitting in the front section of the plane, their seat belts fastened. Only a few were in the tail section.

The plane nosed down gently over Jamaica Bay, bearing down toward the guiding landing lights on a pier jutting 1,500 feet into the water from the end of the runway.

And then, suddenly, according to survivors, the plane struck a landing light on the pier, careened into the water and fell apart. Both the pier and the plane burst into flames as passengers and crew were dumped into the ice-cold water.

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Red-Faced Army

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Hatchet Swinger

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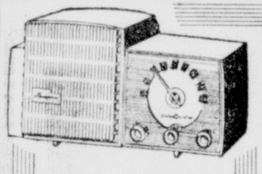
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During the long trial, Dr. Sheppard maintained his 31-year-old wife was beaten to death by a bushy-haired prowler who twice knocked him unconscious when he tried to aid her.

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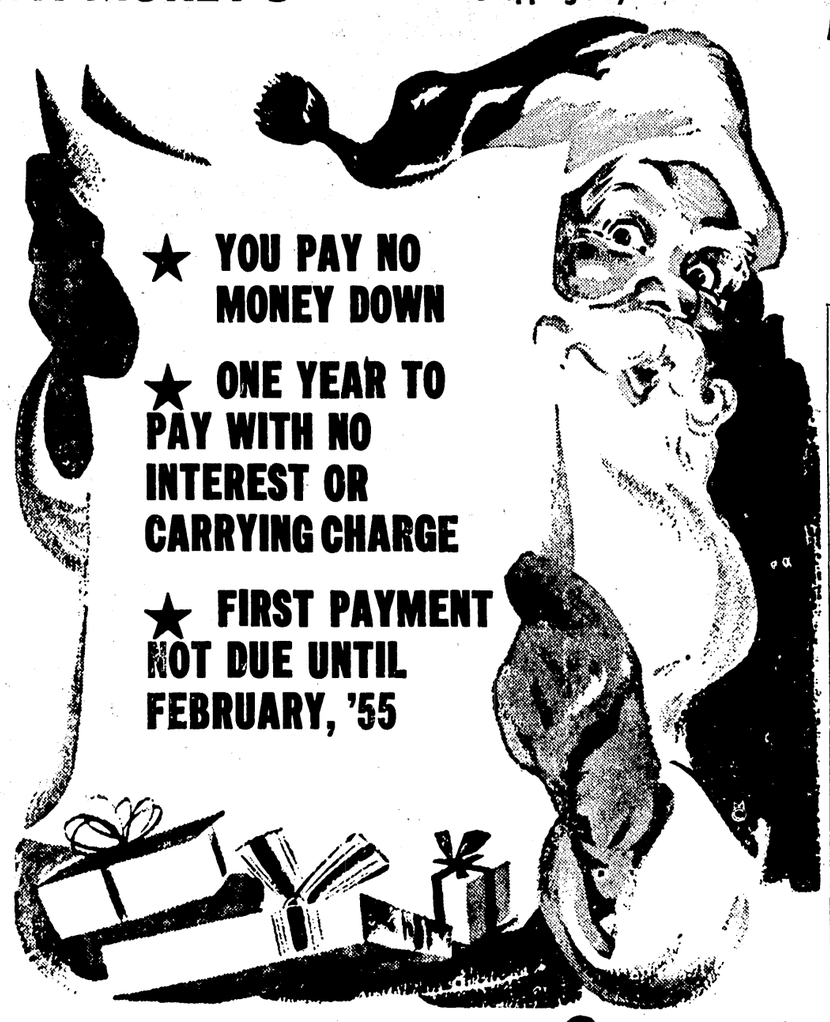
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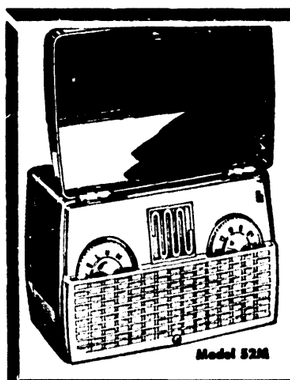
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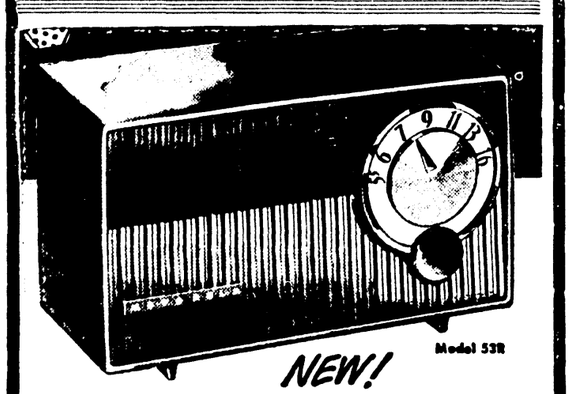
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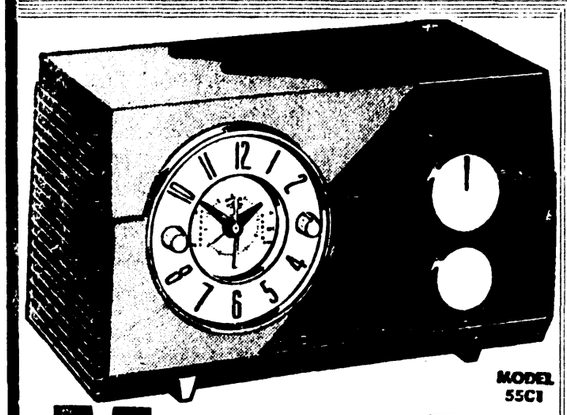
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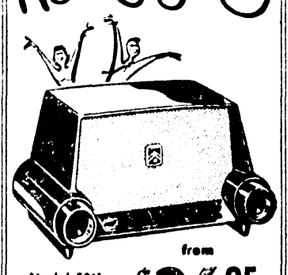
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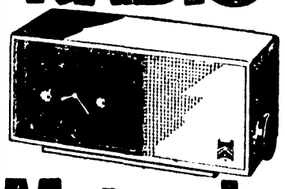


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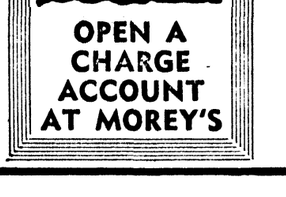
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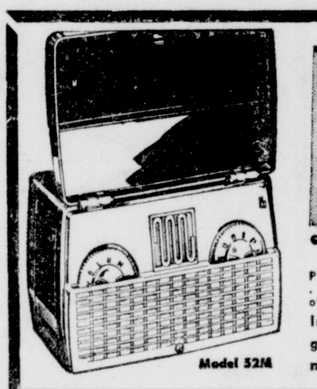
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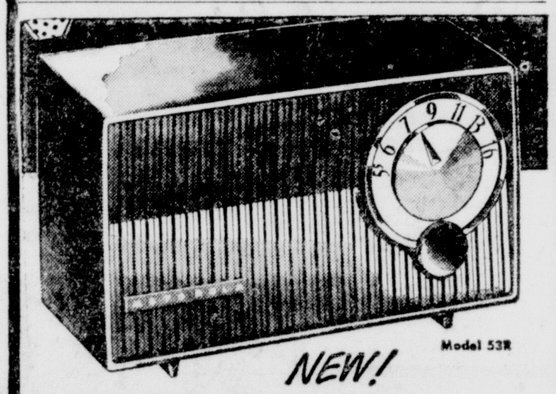
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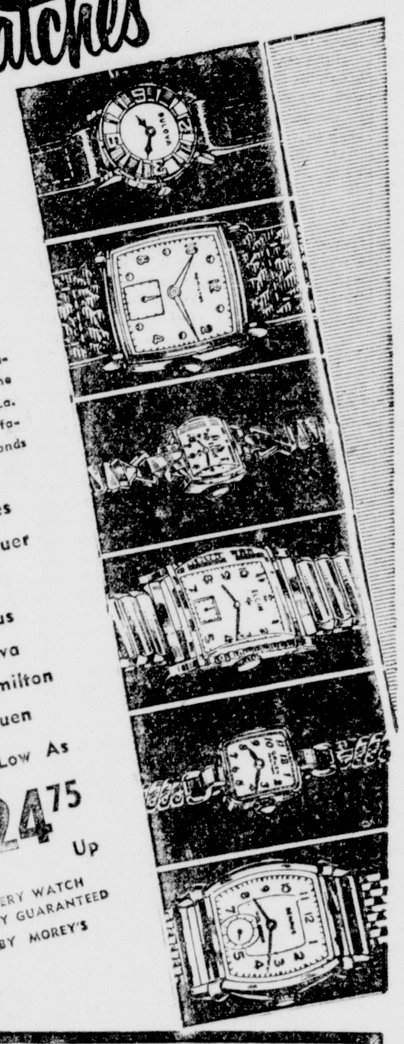
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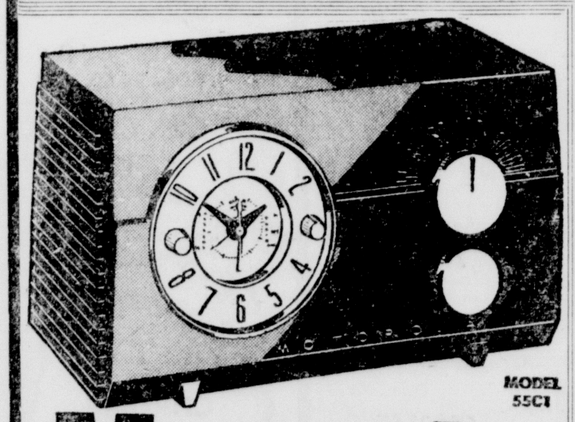
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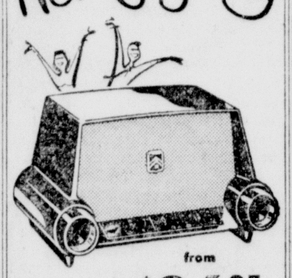
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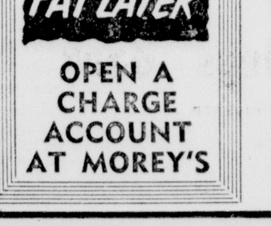
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Business Now At Record Levels In Some Categories

By WALTER BREEDE JR.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 —Business stepped out smartly this week. In some lines activity was at record levels.

With only one more week until Christmas, shoppers crowded into retail stores. Merchants reported a sharp rise in sales of high-priced luxury items.

Detroit turned out more new cars and trucks than in any other week this year.

Electric power output reached a new high for the second week in a row.

After several days of hesitancy, the stock market resumed its upward march and thrust to its highest level since the roaring 20s.

Gains were reported for production of lumber, paper and paperboard, copper, crude oil and bituminous coal.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics said housing starts in November, estimated at 103,000, were a record for that month.

Steel output, scheduled at 81.5 per cent of capacity, was just below the 1954 high of the week before.

U. S. auto factories, working nine-hour shifts, rolled out 172,249 cars and trucks.

General Motors said its dealers sold more new passenger cars in the first ten days this month than in any ten-day period in the corporation's history.

Chrysler reported it was pushing out cars at the rate of more than 30,000 a week, and had increased its payroll to 160,000.

All indications were that the industry's sizzling production pace would get even hotter in the first three months next year. Some observers felt the auto makers might be planning to build up a backlog of new cars to tide their dealers over in case of labor trouble. Contracts between the auto manufacturers and the CIO will expire next spring.

Busier times in the steel industry were reflected in an employment report by president David J. McDonald of the 1,200,000-member CIO United Steelworkers Union. Last August, McDonald pointed out, 212,000 union members were out of work, but the number has since declined to 180,000.

ON HONOR ROLL

SHERMAN, Tex., Dec. 18 Margaret Hunter is included on the "Dean's List" of Austin College, in Sherman, for the fall semester. The honor list is composed of students who have made a grade average of B or above in all their courses. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hunter, 201 Auburn avenue, Monroe.

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TWO SECTIONS of the West Monroe High School band are shown here in preparation for the Christmas high school band concert scheduled for 8 p.m. Tuesday in the high school auditorium. In the top picture are shown the members of the trombone section, and in the lower pictures are members of the percussion section. Students shown in the trombone section, right to left, are Mary Nell Averett, Ronnie Bennett, Ronald Thomas and Curtis Rape. Left to right in the percussion section are Joy Emerel, Patsy Brown, Bill Harris, Gwen Dunn and Gay Monroe.

Censure Hearing To Bring No Perjury Prosecutions

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 —UP— Deputy Attorney General William P. Rogers said officially Saturday that the Justice Department will not prosecute for perjury any witnesses in the televised Army-McCarthy hearings.

He ducked, however, a question whether any action would be taken in the curious case of the young Army officer who was involved in the testimony.

Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) said during the hearings last summer that a young intelligence officer had give him the famous "FBI letter" which figured prominently in the uproarious hearings.

The letter, 2 1-4 pages in length, actually contained excerpts of a longer secret FBI report on alleged subversion at Fort Monmouth, N. J.

Rogers disclosed on CBS' "Capitol Cloakroom" program that the Justice Department had completed a study of the transcript of the Army-McCarthy hearings.

"...And based on that study we do not contemplate any legal action in the matter," he said.

Official disclosure of the department's attitude confirmed a United Press dispatch of two weeks ago that the department had ruled out any perjury prosecution based on conflicting statements of witnesses.

Rogers said there were many inconsistencies in the testimony, but the department has "to look at it from the standpoint of whether we can prove beyond a reasonable doubt that somebody committed perjury. In other words, whether we can prove it or not. And our conclusion is that we do not plan to take any legal action."

Two N. E. Louisiana Firms Get Charters

Two Northeast Louisiana firms received domestic charters from the office of Wade O. Martin, Jr., secretary of state, last week, and one corporation dissolved, it was announced yesterday.

Firms receiving their domestic charters are:

The Marion - Oak Ridge Telephone Company, Inc., at Marion, with a capital stock of $100,0000.

Cottage Oaks Plantation, Inc., at Mound, a farming firm with a capital stock of $50,000.

The Marine Barge Corporation of Coeburgas dissolved its charter.

Senator Charges Politics Back Of FHA Resignation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 —UP— Sen. John J. Sparkman accused the Eisenhower administration Saturday of forcing the resignation of a housing agency official "to make room for a Republican."

The Alabama Democrat commented after it became known that Berchmans T. Fitzpatrick, who resigned Friday as general counsel for the Housing & Home Finance Agency, did so to make room for a political appointment.

One government source said Fitzpatrick's probable successor is former Rep. Oakley Hunter (R-Calif.). Hunter was defeated for re-election last month by Congressman-elect B. F. Sisk.

The same source stressed that Housing & Home Finance Administrator Albert M. Cole, who praised Fitzpatrick's service when the resignation was announced, did not cause it. The order was said to have come from "higher up" in GOP councils.

As general counsel, Fitzpatrick held a so-called "schedule C" position. Such jobs, involving policy-making duties, have been opened to political appointment.

Sparkman called Fitzpatrick's departure a "tremendous" loss to the housing program. The senator is a member of the senate banking committee and is in line to regain the chairmanship of its housing subcommittee when the Democrats organize the new Congress in January.

No Solution Of Rectory Burglary

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 (Special)— L. B. Taylor was elected worshipful master of the Ferriday Lodge 390 F. and A. M. at a regular meeting held here Thursday night.

Other officers elected were: senior warden, R. E. Jones; junior warden, C. D. Lowe; treasurer, S. C. Hales; secretary, Percy H. Farmer; and tyler, Albert Cowan.

The following officers were appointed: senior deacon, Herman R. Smith; junior deacon, Ernest Crum; chaplain, J. L. DePrato, Sr.; senior steward, G. H. Tucker; junior steward, W. W. Kelly; and master of ceremonies, Cecil Long.

Installation of officers will be held next Tuesday in conjunction with an installation of Eastern Star officers, which were elected recently. J. T. Jacobs, worshipful master of the 4th Masonic district will serve as installing officers for the Masonic installation.

3 College Youths Are Expelled For Frightening Coeds

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Dec. 18—UP—Three Western Michigan College students, one of whom wore a grotesque costume to look like the hunchgack of Notre Dame, were expelled Saturday for scaring coeds after dark.

College officials said the three boys staged their "prank" one night last week and "frightened the heck" out of a number of coeds.

The boys operated by lying in wait for passing girls behind trees and bushes. Then they would jump out, wave their arms in a threatening manner and let out with eerie shrieks. They would slink back into the darkness when the girls fled in horror.

The girls didn't think it was very funny. One of them called on city officials last Monday and asked for better police protection on the campus. A police investigation led to the three male students.

Two Defendants In Murder Case Freed On Bond

PHENIX CITY, Ala., Dec. 18—UP—Albert Fuller was back in his garage apartment home today following his release from Kilby prison under $12,500 bond.

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Business Now At Record Levels In Some Categories

By WALTER BREEDE JR.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 —Business stepped out smartly this week. In some lines activity was at record levels.

With only one more week until Christmas, shoppers crowded into retail stores. Merchants reported a sharp rise in sales of high-priced luxury items.

Detroit turned out more new cars and trucks than in any other week this year.

Electric power output reached a new high for the second week in a row.

After several days of hesitancy, the stock market resumed its upward march and thrust to its highest level since the roaring 20s.

Gains were reported for production of lumber, paper and paperboard, copper, crude oil and bituminous coal.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics said housing starts in November, estimated at 103,000, were a record for that month.

Steel output, scheduled at 81.5 per cent of capacity, was just below the 1954 high of the week before.

U. S. auto factories, working nine-hour shifts, rolled out 172,249 cars and trucks.

General Motors said its dealers sold more new passenger cars in the first ten days this month than in any ten-day period in the corporation's history.

Chrysler reported it was pushing out cars at the rate of more than 30,000 a week, and had increased its payroll to 160,000.

All indications were that the industry's sizzling production pace would get even hotter in the first three months next year. Some observers felt the auto makers might be planning to build up a backlog of new cars to tide their dealers over in case of labor trouble. Contracts between the auto manufacturers and the CIO will expire next spring.

Busier times in the steel industry were reflected in an employment report by president David J. McDonald of the 1,200,000-member CIO United Steelworkers Union. Last August, McDonald pointed out, 212,000 union members were out of work, but the number has since declined to 180,000.

ON HONOR ROLL

SHERMAN, Tex., Dec. 18 Margaret Hunter is included on the "Dean's List" of Austin College, in Sherman, for the fall semester. The honor list is composed of students who have made a grade average of B or above in all their courses. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J .Hunter. 201 Auburn avenue, Monroe.

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TWO SECTIONS of the West Monroe High School band are shown here in preparation for the Christmas high school band concert scheduled for 8 p.m. Tuesday in the high school auditorium. In the top picture are shown the members of the trombone section, and in the lower pictures are members of the percussion section. Students shown in the trombone section, right to left, are Mary Nell Averett, Ronnie Bennett, Ronald Thomas and Curtis Rape. Left to right in the percussion section are Joy Emerel, Patsy Brown, Bill Harris, Gwen Dunn and Gay Monroe.

Censure Hearing To Bring No Perjury Prosecutions

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 —UP— Deputy Attorney General William P. Rogers said officially Saturday that the Justice Department will not prosecute for perjury any witnesses in the televised Army-McCarthy hearings.

He ducked, however, a question whether any action would be taken in the curious case of the young Army officer who was involved in the testimony.

Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) said during the hearings last summer that a young intelligence officer had give him the famous "FBI letter" which figured prominently in the uproarious hearings.

The letter, 2 1-4 pages in length, actually contained excerpts of a longer secret FBI report on alleged subversion at Fort Monmouth, N. J.

Rogers disclosed on CBS' "Capitol Cloakroom" program that the Justice Department had completed a study of the transcript of the Army-McCarthy hearings.

". . .And based on that study we do not contemplate any legal action in the matter," he said.

Official disclosure of the department's attitude confirmed a United Press dispatch of two weeks ago that the department had ruled out any perjury prosecution based on conflicting statements of witnesses.

Rogers said there were many inconsistencies in the testimony, but the department has "to look at it from the standpoint of whether we can prove beyond a reasonable doubt that somebody committed perjury. In other words, whether we can prove it or not. And our conclusion is that we do not plan to take any legal action."

Two N. E. Louisiana Firms Get Charters

Two Northeast Louisiana firms received domestic charters from the office of Wade O. Martin, Jr., secretary of state, last week, and one corporation dissolved, it was announced yesterday.

Firms receiving their domestic charters are:

The Marion - Oak Ridge Telephone Company, Inc., at Marion, with a capital stock of $100,0000.

Cottage Oaks Plantation, Inc., at Mound, a farming firm with a capital stock of $50,000.

The Marine Barge Corporation of Opelousas dissolved its charter.

Senator Charges Politics Back Of FHA Resignation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 —UP— Sen. John J. Sparkman accused the Eisenhower administration Saturday of forcing the resignation of a housing agency official "to make room for a Republican."

The Alabama Democrat commented after it became known that Berchmans T. Fitzpatrick, who resigned Friday as general counsel for the Housing & Home Finance Agency, did so to make room for a political appointment.

One government source said Fitzpatrick's probable successor is former Rep. Oakley Hunter (R-Calif.). Hunter was defeated for re-election last month by Congressman-elect B. F. Sisk.

The same source stressed that Housing & Home Finance Administrator Albert M. Cole, who praised Fitzpatrick's service when the resignation was announced, did not cause it. The order was said to have come from "higher up" in GOP councils.

As general counsel, Fitzpatrick held a so-called "schedule C" position. Such jobs, involving policy-making duties, have been opened to political appointment.

Sparkman called Fitzpatrick's departure a "tremendous" loss to the housing program. The senator is a member of the senate banking committee and is in line to regain the chairmanship of its housing subcommittee when the Democrats organize the new Congress in January.

No Solution Of Rectory Burglary

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 (Special)— L. B. Taylor was elected worshipful master of the Ferriday Lodge 390 F. and A. M. at a regular meeting held here Thursday night.

Other officers elected were: senior warden, R. E. Jones; junior warden, C. D. Lowe; treasurer, S. C. Hales; secretary, Percy H. Farmer; and tyler, Albert Cowan.

The following officers were appointed: senior deacon, Herman R. Smith; junior deacon, Ernest Crum; chaplain, J. L. DePrato, Sr.; senior steward, G. H. Tucker; junior steward, W. W. Kelly; and master of ceremonies, Cecil Long.

Installation of officers will be held next Tuesday in conjunction with an installation of Eastern Star officers, which were elected recently. J. T. Jacobs, worshipful master of the 4th Masonic district will serve as installing officers for the Masonic installation.

3 College Youths Are Expelled For Frightening Coeds

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Dec. 18— UP—Three Western Michigan College students, one of whom wore a grotesque costume to look like the hunchgack of Notre Dame, were expelled Saturday for scaring coeds after dark.

College officials said the three boys staged their "prank" one night last week and "frightened the heck" out of a number of coeds.

The boys operated by lying in wait for passing girls behind trees and bushes. Then they would jump out, wave their arms in a threatening manner and let out with eerie shrieks. They would slink back into the darkness when the girls fled in horror.

The girls didn't think it was very funny. One of them called on city officials last Monday and asked for better police protection on the campus. A police investigation led to the three male students.

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WATCHES IRON LUNG ACCESSORY—Mrs. G. A. Oden, West Monroe, watches Fillman E. May, administrator at the Alexandria Baptist Hospital, as he discusses the "dome," which Mrs. Oden was able to secure through more than $600 contributed. The project was one of the Missouri Pacific Women's Club. The dome is attached to the head of the bed (iron lung) which can be manipulated in such a way that the patient can be brought out of the lung and remain out for a half-hour. The hospital, board of trustees, nurses and patients have expressed their sincere thanks to Mrs. Oden and the woman's club for their kindness in securing the dome. (News-Star—World staff photo.)

12 Violent Deaths Occur In State During 24-Hour Period; Five On Highways

By UNITED PRESS

At least 12 persons died violent deaths in Louisiana from noon Friday until noon Saturday, a United Press survey showed today.

Five persons died in traffic accidents, three in a plane crash, three by drowning and one burned to death.

Traffic victims were:

Franklin F. Pugh, 29, Negro of Mansfield.

Bessie Carrie Johnson, Negro, of Lake Charles.

Herman LeBlanc, 36, Belle Chasse.

Darryle LeBlanc, 12, his son.

Benny Alphonso, 50, Alluvial City, La.

Plane crash victims were:

M-Sgt. Bernard Hartley, 27, Delhi.

Pfc. Wilbur Farmer Jr., 22, of Delhi.

Third victim unidentified, but was from Maxwell Air Force Base near Montgomery, Ala., the same place at which Hartley and Farmer were stationed.

Apparent drowning victims were: Laurice Fuller, 32; J. Ralph Alexander, 40; and A. A. Rose, 49, all United Gas employes at Shreveport.

The fire victim was Richard Nash, 42, who was burned to death Friday when fire destroyed his two-room house near Oakdale.

Officials at Shreveport say a search has failed to turn up any trace of the three missing United Gas employes and that they are presumed to have drowned.

Their boat was found on windwhipped Lake Bistineau yesterday where they had been hunting. Searchers hunted the lake and surrounding areas Friday night, but found no trace of the men.

LeBlanc and his son were killed when their car crashed headon with one driven by Earl Fortenberry of Harahan. Fortenberry was under treatment for multiple fractures at Touro infirmary at New Orleans. The accident occurred about nine miles north of Port Sulphur early Saturday. Seriously injured in the crash were LeBlanc's two daughters, Donna, 10, and Sheila, 7. Mrs. LeBlanc, 33, was shaken up, but escaped serious injuries.

The third traffic victim, Alphonso, was killed when a truck which his son was operating ran off the road and went into a bayou two miles north of Alluvial City.

The son, Alfred Alphonso, 21-year-oid Marine home on leave, was treated at Charity hospital for multiple bruises and released.

The two Negro traffic victims, Pugh and the Johnson woman, were killed Friday when their car failed to make a sharp curve on U. S. 171 about three miles north of DeRidder.

Police said the car overturned seven times after narrowly missing a school bus which was forced off the road.

The Maxwell Field airmen were killed Friday night when their light stinson one-engine plane apparently overshot a runway and smashed into the top of a tree at Delhi.

The three were en route to Delhi to see a state championship high school football game being played by Delhi.

The plane overshot a runway about five miles south of the Northeast Louisiana town and hit the tree. Hartley, who had a wife and nine-months old child at Maxwell, was a flight engineer and had a private license. Police have not yet identified the third man in the plane.

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Armed Services

HUTCHINSON, Kans. (FHTNC)—Robert E. Bell, steward third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bell of Rayville, La., has reported to the U. S. Naval Air Station here for duty in the Bachelor Officers Mess.

He entered the Navy in June, 1951, and reported here from the LST 762.

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Ferriday Fire Dept.'s Needy Fund Rising

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 (Special)—Additional daily contributions have been received by Fire Chief Nolan A. Moulle for the Fireman's Christmas Fund for the needy children of the community. The annual distribution of toys, dolls and clothing and groceries for the children and their families will take place here on Christmas Eve with a local fireman as Santa Claus.

Chief Moulle is anxious to make this distribution, the seventh annual one, a success and urges all in the midst of buying and giving to remember the poor kiddies, so that Christmas will be not just December 25.

Joseph Pasternack, leading Ferriday merchant has donated $50 to the fund and written Chief Moulle that he considers this a fine work in raising funds for the underprivileged children and in spreading Christmas cheer and joy and added that he would be glad to help in any way he could. In the past he has served as the tree Santa Claus.

Afternoon Sacred Song Program Is Slated At Church

This Sunday afternoon at four p.m. Mrs. Robert Wood, soprano, assisted by Charles Wilhite, organist, will sing a program of sacred songs at Grace Episcopal Church. Included will be works by Albert, Bach, Handel, Haydn, Schubert, Mendelssohn, Niles, Warlock, Lemert and Vaughan Williams. Dr. Harry Lemert, of Northeast Louisiana State College, has written for this program a setting of verses of Psalm 103. This program will be the first public performance of the song.

During the church season of Advent, Grace Church has had a series of special music programs including two guest choirs and a program of music for trumpet and organ. Sunday's program will be the last in the series.

Negro Residence Damaged By Fire

A fire caused extensive damage to a Negro residence at 1714 Adams street here Saturday morning, according to Monroe firemen.

The house was owned by Tony LaPietra and occupied by Jo Ann Sellers, Negro, who was asleep inside the house when the fire broke out. She awakened and fled in time to save her life.

Firemen said the blaze broke out in the bathroom and "extensive" damage was done to the rear of the house before the blaze was brought under control.

Cause of the fire was unknown.

Firemen received the alarm at 7:04 a.m. Saturday and the trucks were back at the station at 8:35 a.m. Engine companies 101 and 103 answered the alarm.

Alfred John Cato Taken To Prison

Alfred John Cato, 38-year-old man recently sentenced to the state prison, was taken to Angola Saturday morning by Deputy Eddie Gibbs, Sheriff Bailey Grant said yesterday.

Cato was given two sentences of three years each on charges of simple burglary. He was sentenced in Fourth District court Thursday by Judge David I. Garrett.

Births

(St. Francis Hospital)

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Lawrence, a son, Marion Alvin, born Dec. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McKeithen, a daughter, Tommie Lynn, born Dec. 17.

Grand Jury Probe To Be Continued

NEW ORLEANS —UP— The Orleans parish grand jury will meet again next Wednesday to continue its hearing of the investigation of police department irregularities and an alleged murder attempt on roofing contractor Andrew Caldwell.

The jury heard eight witnesses Thursday before recessing until next week. Ten other persons were subpoenaed but were excused until a later date without being heard.

Among the witnesses were Caldwell and Sal Marchese and Pershing Gervais, both former police officers who were dismissed from the force.

State Police Report

Seven of the 24 persons arrested by members of Troop F, Louisiana state police, were charged with drunk driving according to the weekly report issued from troop headquarters. The report, issued Friday evening, included other offenders charged with reckless driving, speeding, no driver's license, improper brakes, improper lights, obstruction of the highway, overwidth and disturbing the peace.

Charged with drunk driving were: Chester R. Bruce, 31, Route 4, Winnsboro; Benny M. Bennett, 49, 210 Texas avenue, Monroe; Willie Mitchell, 42, Negro, Loch Lomond, La.; George F. Lomax, 53, 404 South Monroe, Ruston; Albert Goss, 38, Negro, Fort Benning, Ga.; Charles P. Burchfield, Jr., 27, Denver, Colo.; and Thomas E. Shoemaker, 28, Fairbanks.

Reckless driving: John R. Tee, 36, Gulfport, Miss.; Bill F. Taylor, 29, Negro, Rayville; William A. Rowlett, 42, 307 Griffin St., Midland, Tex.; Jack H. Parish, 27, 2-4 Pelican Drive, West Monroe; Luther T. Hanson, 62, Route 2, West Monroe; and Jessie Smith, 37, Cleburne, Tex.

Speeding (autos): Margie L. Lipsay, 22, West Monroe; and Loys F. Cumming, 27, 707 Adcock street, Monroe.

Speeding (trucks): Elias J. Chatelain, 34, Mansura.

No drivers license: J. C. Chambers, 43, 615 North Third street, West Monroe.

Improper brakes: Hubert Tappin, 27, Negro, Elm street, Bastrop.

Improper lights: Reacy S. Henry, 30, 3001 North 12th street, Monroe.

Obstruction of the highway: Bradford Brown, 29, Route 3, Monroe; and Henry Williams, Jr., 31, Negro, Baskin.

Overwidth: Robert R. Costello, 40, Route 2, Oak Grove.

Disturbing the peace: Ottis Carter, 55, Farmerville; and Willis Tucker, 30, Winnsboro.

Man Wanted For Forgery Returned

Howard Parker, 38-year-old man wanted in Monroe for theft by check, was returned from Jackson, Miss., Saturday morning by Deputy W. H. Bell and Police Sgt. Sidney G. Martin, Sheriff Bailey Grant said Saturday.

Jackson authorities notified the local sheriff department late Friday they were holding the man and the two local officers were sent after him. He is being held in the parish jail in lieu of a $1,000 bond.

Electric Company Plans Expansion

NEW IBERIA, La.—UP—A Central Louisiana Electric Co. official has revealed plans here for a $6 to $7 million expansion program next year.

W. D. Rodemacher of Lafayette, company treasurer, told some 200 employes of the New Iberia division at a Christmas party that company investments in new plants during the last five years totaled about $23.5 million.

He said the company is presently serving about 120,000 utility customers, an increase of 28 per cent over the last five years.

MISSION COMPLETED

VALPARAISO, Ind. — Mrs. Elizabeth Sherrer drove a mile to buy a loaf of bread and returned home with the bread but with no car. On the way back, the car stalled on a railroad crossing just as a train roared down the tracks. Mrs. Sherrer jumped to safety but the car was destroyed. She still had the loaf of bread in her arms.

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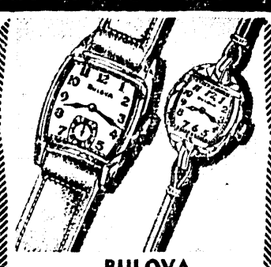


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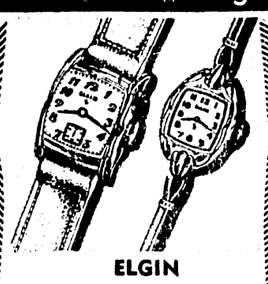
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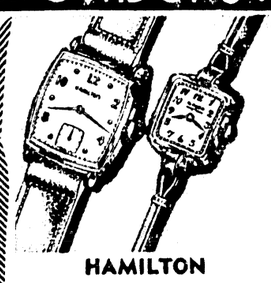
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WATCHES IRON LUNG ACCESSORY—Mrs. G. A. Oden, West Monroe, watches Fillman E. May, administrator at the Alexandria Baptist Hospital, as he discusses the "dome," which Mrs. Oden was able to secure through more than $600 contributed. The project was one of the Missouri Pacific Women's Club. The dome is attached to the head of the bed (iron lung) which can be manipulated in such a way that the patient can be brought out of the lung and remain out for a half-hour. The hospital, board of trustees, nurses and patients have expressed their sincere thanks to Mrs. Oden and the woman's club for their kindness in securing the dome. (News-Star—World staff photo.)

12 Violent Deaths Occur In State During 24-Hour Period; Five On Highways

By UNITED PRESS

At least 12 persons died violent deaths in Louisiana from noon Friday until noon Saturday, a United Press survey showed today.

Five persons died in traffic accidents, three in a plane crash, three by drowning and one burned to death.

Traffic victims were:

Franklin F. Pugh, 29, Negro of Mansfield.

Bessie Carrie Johnson, Negro, of Lake Charles.

Herman LeBlanc, 36, Belle Chasse.

Darryle LeBlanc, 12, his son.

Benny Alphonso, 50, Alluvial City, La.

Plane crash victims were:

M-Sgt. Bernard Hartley, 27, Delhi.

Pfc. Wilbur Farmer Jr., 22, of Delhi.

Third victim unidentified, but was from Maxwell Air Force Base near Montgomery, Ala., the same place at which Hartley and Farmer were stationed.

Apparent drowning victims were: Laurice Fuller, 32; J. Ralph Alexander, 40; and A. A. Rose, 49, all United Gas employes at Shreveport.

The fire victim was Richard Nash, 42, who was burned to death Friday when fire destroyed his two-room house near Oakdale.

Officials at Shreveport say a search has failed to turn up any trace of the three missing United Gas employes and that they are presumed to have drowned.

Their boat was found on wind-whipped Lake Bistineau yesterday where they had been hunting. Searchers hunted the lake and surrounding areas Friday night, but found no trace of the men.

LeBlanc and his son were killed when their car crashed headon with one driven by Earl Fortenberry of Harahan. Fortenberry was under treatment for multiple fractures at Touro infirmary at New Orleans. The accident occurred about nine miles north of Port Sulphur early Saturday. Seriously injured in the crash were LeBlanc's two daughters, Donna, 10, and Sheila, 7. Mrs. LeBlanc, 33, was shaken up, but escaped serious injuries.

The third traffic victim, Alphonso, was killed when a truck which his son was operating ran off the road and went into a bayou two miles north of Alluvial City.

The son, Alfred Alphonso, 21-year-old Marine home on leave, was treated at Charity hospital for multiple bruises and released.

The two Negro traffic victims, Pugh and the Johnson woman, were killed Friday when their car failed to make a sharp curve on U. S. 171 about three miles north of DeRidder.

Police said the car overturned seven times after narrowly missing a school bus which was forced off the road.

The Maxwell Field airmen were killed Friday night when their light stinson one-engine plane apparently overshot a runway and smashed into the top of a tree at Delhi.

The three were en route to Delhi to see a state championship high school football game being played by Delhi.

The plane overshot a runway about five miles south of the Northeast Louisiana town and hit the tree. Hartley, who had a wife and nine-months old child at Maxwell, was a flight engineer and had a private license. Police have not yet identified the third man in the plane.

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Armed Services

HUTCHINSON, Kans. (FHTNC)—Robert E. Bell, steward third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bell of Rayville, La., has reported to the U. S. Naval Air Station here for duty in the Bachelor Officers Mess.

He entered the Navy in June, 1951, and reported here from the LST 762.

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Ferriday Fire Dept.'s Needy Fund Rising

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 (Special)—Additional daily contributions have been received by Fire Chief Nolan A. Moulle for the Fireman's Christmas Fund tor the needy children of the community. The annual distribution of toys, dolls and clothing and groceries for the children and their families will take place here on Christmas Eve with a local fireman as Santa Claus.

Chief Moulle is anxious to make this distribution, the seventh annual one, a success and urges all in the midst of buying and giving to remember the poor kiddies, so that Christmas will be not just December 25.

Joseph Pasternack, leading Ferriday merchant has donated $50 to the fund and written Chief Moulle that he considers this a fine work in raising funds for the underprivileged children and in spreading Christmas cheer and joy and added that he would be glad to help in any way he could. In the past he has served as the tree Santa Claus.

Afternoon Sacred Song Program Is Slated At Church

This Sunday afternoon at four p.m. Mrs. Robert Wood, soprano, assisted by Charles Wilhite, organist, will sing a program of sacred songs at Grace Episcopal Church. Included will be works by Albert, Bach, Handel, Haydn, Schubert, Mendelssohn, Niles, Warlock, Lemert and Vaughan Williams. Dr. Harry Lemert, of Northeast Louisiana State College, has written for this program a setting of verses of Psalm 103. This program will be the first public performance of the song.

During the church season of Advent, Grace Church has had a series of special music programs including two guest choirs and a program of music for trumpet and organ. Sunday's program will be the last in the series.

Negro Residence Damaged By Fire

A fire caused extensive damage to a Negro residence at 1714 Adams street here Saturday morning, according to Monroe firemen.

The house was owned by Tony LaPietra and occupied by Jo Ann Sellers, Negro, who was asleep inside the house when the fire broke out. She awakened and fled in time to save her life.

Firemen said the blaze broke out in the bathroom and "extensive" damage was done to the rear of the house before the blaze was brought under control.

Cause of the fire was unknown.

Firemen received the alarm at 7:04 a.m. Saturday and the trucks were back at the station at 8:35 a.m. Engine companies 101 and 103 answered the alarm.

Alfred John Cato Taken To Prison

Alfred John Cato, 38-year-old man recently sentenced to the state prison, was taken to Angola Saturday morning by Deputy Eddie Gibbs, Sheriff Bailey Grant said yesterday.

Cato was given two sentences of three years each on charges of simple burglary. He was sentenced in Fourth District court Thursday by Judge David I. Garrett.

Births

(St. Francis Hospital)

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Lawrence, a son, Marion Alvin, born Dec. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McKeithen, a daughter, Tommie Lynn, born Dec. 17.

Grand Jury Probe To Be Continued

NEW ORLEANS —UP— The Orleans parish grand jury will meet again next Wednesday to continue its hearing of the investigation of police department irregularities and an alleged murder attempt on roofing contractor Andrew Caldwell.

The jury heard eight witnesses Thursday before recessing until next week. Ten other persons were subpoenaed but were excused until a later date without being heard.

Among the witnesses were Caldwell and Sal Marchese and Pershing Gervais, both former police officers who were dismissed from the force.

State Police Report

Seven of the 24 persons arrested by members of Troop F, Louisiana state police, were charged with drunk driving according to the weekly report issued from troop headquarters. The report, issued Friday evening, included other offenders charged with reckless driving, speeding, no driver's license, improper brakes, improper lights, obstruction of the highway, overwidth and disturbing the peace.

Charged with drunk driving were: Chester R. Bruce, 31, Route 4, Winnsboro; Benny M. Bennett, 49, 210 Texas avenue, Monroe; Willie Mitchell, 42, Negro, Loch Lomond, La.; George F. Lomax, 53, 404 South Monroe, Ruston; Albert Goss, 38, Negro, Fort Benning, Ga.; Charles P. Burchfield, Jr., 27, Denver, Colo.; and Thomas E. Shoemaker, 28, Fairbanks.

Reckless driving: John R. Tee, 36, Gulfport, Miss.; Bill F. Taylor, 29, Negro, Rayville; William A. Rowlett, 42, 307 Griffin St., Midland, Tex.; Jack H. Parish, 27, 2-4 Pelican Drive, West Monroe; Luther T. Hanson, 62, Route 2, West Monroe; and Jessie Smith, 37, Cleburne, Tex.

Speeding (autos): Margie L. Lipsay, 22, West Monroe; and Loys F. Cumming, 27, 707 Adcock street, Monroe.

Speeding (trucks): Elias J. Chatelain, 34, Mansura.

No drivers license: J. C. Chambers, 43, 615 North Third street, West Monroe.

Improper brakes: Hubert Tappin, 27, Negro, Elm street, Bastrop.

Improper lights: Reacy S. Henry, 30, 3001 North 12th street, Monroe.

Obstruction of the highway: Bradford Brown, 29, Route 3, Monroe; and Henry Williams, Jr., 31, Negro, Baskin.

Overwidth: Robert R. Costello, 40, Route 2, Oak Grove.

Disturbing the peace: Ottis Carter, 55, Farmerville; and Willis Tucker, 30, Winnsboro.

Man Wanted For Forgery Returned

Howard Parker, 38-year-old man wanted in Monroe for theft by check, was returned from Jackson, Miss., Saturday morning by Deputy W. H. Bell and Police Sgt. Sidney G. Martin, Sheriff Bailey Grant said Saturday.

Jackson authorities notified the local sheriff department late Friday they were holding the man and the two local officers were sent after him. He is being held in the parish jail in lieu of a $1,000 bond.

Electric Company Plans Expansion

NEW IBERIA, La.—UP—A Central Louisiana Electric Co. official has revealed plans here for a $6 to $7 million expansion program next year.

W. D. Rodemacher of Lafayette, company treasurer, told some 200 employes of the New Iberia division at a Christmas party that company investments in new plants during the last five years totaled about $23.5 million.

He said the company is presently serving about 120,000 utility customers, an increase of 28 per cent over the last five years.

MISSION COMPLETED

VALPARAISO, Ind. — Mrs. Elizabeth Sherrer drove a mile to buy a loaf of bread and returned home with the bread but with no car. On the way back, the car stalled on a railroad crossing just as a train roared down the tracks. Mrs. Sherrer jumped to safety but the car was destroyed. She still had the loaf of bread in her arms.

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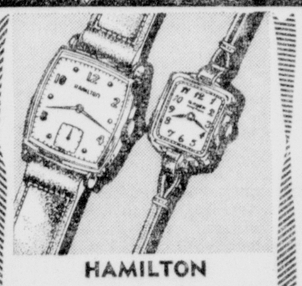
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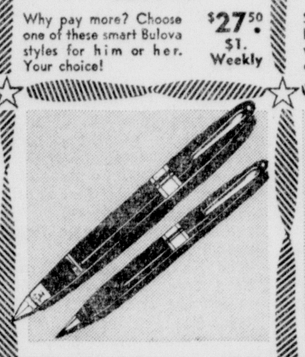
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Western Powers Praise Record Of UN Assembly

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Dec. — Western democracies Saturday hailed the United Nations General Assembly for starting President Eisenhower's atoms for peace plan on the road to reality, trying to free 11 American airmen jailed in China and setting up disarmament negotiations.

The ninth annual meeting of the Assembly was one of high drama and personal tragedy, capped by Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold's proposal to go to Red China and the death of Andrei Y. Vishinsky, the Soviet Union's venom-tongued chief delegate.

The Western Allies were more solidly united than ever before.

From the viewpoint of the Western democracies, the successes of the ninth annual meeting of the 60-nation world parliament which ended Friday night were many. Its failures were few.

The high point of the entire Assembly was the debate on the prisoners, with thirty-four-year-old British delegate Anthony Nutting making what delegates agreed was the greatest speech of this meeting and one of the best of any assembly.

"These airmen are not just members of the American Air Force," Nutting said. "They are soldiers of the world organization sent to fight by the will of the UN.

"Though they can not hear us, we can and must speak for them. Their lives, their freedom, their future, their safety, is our responsibility—the responsibility of each and every one of us present here today.

"They went forth to uphold our cause. We must uphold theirs."

The debate was climaxed by a vote instructing Hammarskjold to do all he can to release the men. He promptly arranged a Christmastime meeting with the Chinese Reds in Peiping.

From the Communist viewpoint, this assembly was practically a disaster.

United States chief delegate Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. said in a statement after the Assembly closed:

"The UN knocked down decisively all the various Soviet bloc items, most of which were strongly anti-America. Their score of accomplishment was zero.

"A wonderful session for lovers of freedom throughout the world."

There were 72 items on the Assembly's agenda.

They ranged from the atoms for peace plan to a committee report on "customs, ancient laws and practices affecting the human dignity of women."

—Obituaries—

MRS. HUGH BIGGAR

Mrs. Hugh Biggar, 86, died around 7 a.m. Saturday at her residence, 110 Hilton, following a long illness.

She was born in New York state, but had resided in Monroe for about 67 years.

Survivors include one daughter, Miss Leona Biggar; two sons, Oswald and Charles, one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bess Biggar, all of Monroe; five grandchildren, all of Monroe.

The body will lie in state at the residence until time for services at 10:30 a.m. Monday at the St. Matthews Catholic Church. Burial will be in Catholic Cemetery in Bastrop under the direction of Hixson Brothers Funeral Home of Monroe.

A rosary service will be held at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at residence.

Monsignor J. C. Marsh will officiate.

Pallbearers will include Ivy Jordan, Herbert Walker, Nathan Kern, Eddie Dalton, Bob Boyt, Stanley Hodges.

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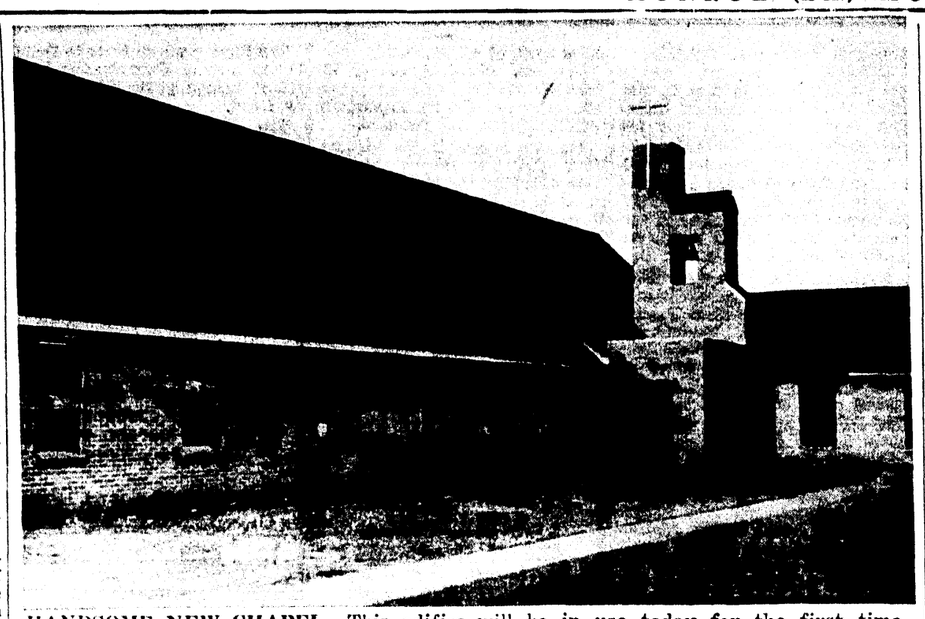
DELHI, Dec. 18 (Special)—Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Newton Baptist Church for Joe Orland Grayson, 62, who died of a heat attack Friday night at his residence, Route Two, Delhi.

Services will be conducted by Rev. B. F. Kelly, assisted by Rev. W. A. Deerman.

Interment will be in the Delhi Masonic Cemetery, under the direction of Catron-Gay Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will include Lawson Travis, Bert Barnes, Allen LaPrairie, W. B. Baum, J. M. Ball, Alton Donald, Bub York, and Carlton Johnson.

Grayson is survived by his wife, Mrs. Nora Grayson, Delhi; one son, Hilburn L. Grayson, Jackson, Miss.; four daughters, Mrs. Ray Newton, Delhi; Mrs. Henry Newton, Epps, Mrs. W. H. Hurley, Jackson, Miss., and Mrs. Paul B. Payne, Tremont, Tex.; one brother, Johnny Grayson, Magee, Miss.; five sisters, Mrs. John Parrish, Tex.; Mrs. Tom Collingston, Rayville; Mrs. Clarence Smith, Magee, Miss.; Mrs. Hugh Yates, Collins, Miss.; and Mrs. Houston Griffith, Boyle, Miss., and 12 grandchildren.



HANDSOME NEW CHAPEL—This edifice will be in use today for the first time. It is the new sanctuary of the Southside Methodist Church, 1623 South Fourth Street, Monroe. It was erected at a cost of $20,000. (News-Star—World staff photo.)



GIVEN COMMENDATIONS—Two members of the local National Guard unit were recently given commendations by Lt. Col. Henry R. Hodgkinson, center, representing the inspector general of the Fourth Army. Master Sergeant Milton Smith, right, was given a commendation for his outstanding performance while a member of the 12th Infantry Regiment in Europe. Pictured on the left is Cpl. Jerry R. Hibbard, who was awarded the expert marksmanship medal from the National Rifle Association for his activities at the Camp Perry, Ohio, meet. (Staff photo by John I. Fogleman.)

Nuclear Weapons To Be Used When U. S. Sees Fit

PARIS, Dec. 18 (AP)—NATO's leaders apparently have agreed that the decision on whether to use the atomic bomb in defense of Western Europe might, of necessity, be made by the United States government.

The U.S. delegation held to its stand at the two-day session of the North Atlantic Treaty Council here that no rigid rule could be laid down in advance on who should pull the trigger, and that the United States, as the chief atomic power in the Western Alliance, must have the final say about the use of atomic weapons from soil it controls.

The Americans, headed by Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, made it plain they want to consult their allies if possible before making any decision. But as Belgian Foreign Minister Paul-Henri Spaak told reporters today:

"If an atomic bomb knocks out the telephone, I don't think we can wait for the service to be reestablished before we make a decision."

Winding up their session here today the foreign defense and finance ministers of the 14 allies who make up the NATO Council disclosed only in a negative way the conclusions of their discussions on atomic weapons.

A communique, which avoided even mentioning atomic weapons by name, said only that the Council had approved plans including "modern developments in weapons and techniques." It then added that this approval "did not involve the delegation of responsibility of governments to make decisions for putting plans into action in the event of hostilities."

This was a backhanded way of saying that civilians, not the military, would have the final decision as is the tradition in democracies.

It left up in the air two big questions: What civilians? And what happens if the military chiefs on the spot can't get in touch with their governments?

The answers to both questions apparently remained military secrets.

But there was no indication that the United States would have to change any standing instructions that may already have been given to U.S. Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther, supreme Allied commander in Europe.



YULETIDE TASTE TEST — Three children of employees of Southern Natural Gas Company to serve as official taste testers of contents of one of the candy and toy packets to be parachuted from the firm's patrol planes this week to children living in lonely houses along pipe lines in a six-state area. Seated among part of the 2,000 gift sacks to be dropped as the company's annual Christmas greetin to the tots, are, from left, Danny Holloway, Danna Tamblyn and Jon Downey, all of Birmingham.

Chinese Students Detained In U. S. Long For Home

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP) — A number of the Chinese students who want to return to Red China spoke up around the country today to say that home and family ties, not Communist beliefs, prompt their desire.

They are among the 35 technically trained Chinese to whom the State Department thus far has refused to issue exit permits, apparently for fear that special training they acquired in this country might be used against the United States if they returned to their Communist-dominated homeland.

The State Department has refused to identify the individual Chinese by name, address or special training, but among them are highly trained chemists and physicists, including at least one who specialized in nuclear physics.

He is Chia Hua Chang, 38 who left his wife and three children behind in the port city of Foochow, opposite Formosa, when he came here five years ago to study at Washington University in St. Louis. That was before the Communists gained control of China.

He won a ph.d. degree in physics, wrote his thesis on nuclear physics, and worked for a year on the university's cyclotron, a machine vital in atomic scienc. Now he wants to go back.

Politics is not important to me," he said. I just want to be with my family."

Held in an anti-Communist country and wanting to return to a Red-dominated one, the students who could be reached for comment carefully expressed no opinion on communism—whatever their beliefs.

The Detroit Lions in the NFL have a radio announcer on their team. Defensive halfback Jim David was one of the broadcasters of the Colorado A & M baseball games during the 1954 season.

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Group Will Seek Annexation Issue Council Hearing

Commissioners of the Western Ouahita Parish Water District, Saturday night announced that they are filing a request by mail for public hearing before the West Monroe City Council on the municipality's proposed annexation of Units 7, 8, and 9 of McGuire addition.

The letter will be posted Sunday, which is the last day for filing such a request, Elton H. Busbice president of the water district board of commissioners said.

He added that the commission is taking this action on behalf of the residents in the area who signed with the new water district, and have not signed a petition to be annexed by the city.

"The commission feels," Busbice said, "that the city's haste in annexing this small area is to break up the water district which was formed to help acquire water supplies for persons living in the areas outside of the city limits."

It has been reported to the commissioners, Busbice said, that residents of the proposed annexation area have been promised a great many benefits which the city is not in position to deliver. Reports have also been received, he said, from downtown West Monroe that some of the citizens there are concerned about the possibility that city plans a large bond issue and added taxes which might not win voter approval in the proposed city election, especially if such a bond issue incorporated the abolition of the flat rate for water and the installation of meters throughout the ity.

"It has also been reported to the commissioners," the president of the board said," that some of these West Monroe residents are also asking for a hearing because of their concern over the committments of the city to the residents of this area, and in addition they are concerned over the tactics which the city government is using in attempting force annexation of the subdivision."

Commissioners and the citizens committee of the Splane, McGuire and Sunshine Heights, and Mauldin additions, have tentatively set January 10 as the date for a mass meeting of the residents of the area, at which time they plan to have the commission's engineers and financial agents available to advise them about the water district.



TO PARTICIPATE IN PAGEANT—The group shown above will participate in the Christmas pageant, along with the choir, at the Sterlington Baptist Church tonight at 7:30. Left to right, Morris McCain, O'Guilva McDougle, Mrs. V. P. Lipsey, Virginia Brunson, Victor Parrish, Clifford Smith, Jack Usrey and Warren Gay.

Los Angeles Daily News Suspends Publication

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18—UP—Publisher Clinton McKinnon announced Saturday the Los Angeles Daily News is suspending publication, effective immediately.

He said that the name of the newspaper, its circulation list and "certain features" have been sold to the Times-Mirror Company.

"This action is taken most reluctantly and only after I have exhausted every effort to secure additional finances to underwrite the losses," he said in a printed announcement to employes.

"The only bona fide offer backed by cash which I was able to secure came from the Times-Mirror Company which has purchased the name, circulation lists and certain features of the Daily News.

"The funds derived from the sale enable us to meet current and retroactive salaries, and checks will be mailed to each employe the first of the week."

McKinnon said, "it is with deep regret that I most solemnly inform my good employes that we have come to the end of the road. I have honestly tried to give you my best and am happy to point out that at least through my participation we have been able to continue the operation of the Daily News a year longer."

McKinnon, former California congressman and once publisher of the San Diego Journal, now defunct, took over the struggling Daily News a year ago this Christmas Eve. During his management the newspaper showed gains in both advertising lineage and circulation.

Executives of the newspaper said the paper was frequently showing operating profits during the past three months, but not consistently enough to pay off a heavy schedule of back debts.

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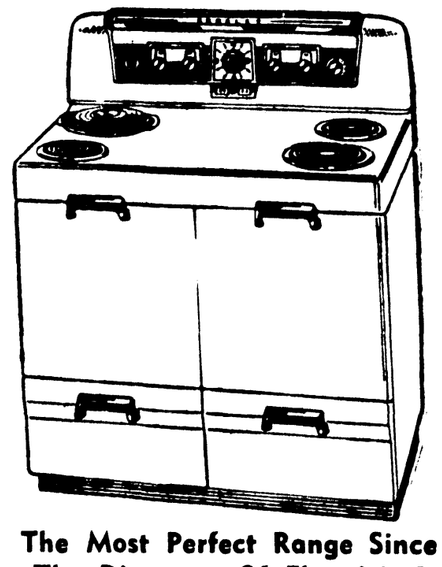
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Western Powers Praise Record Of UN Assembly

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Dec. — Western democracies Saturday hailed the United Nations General Assembly for starting President Eisenhower's atoms for peace plan on the road to reality, trying to free 11 American airmen jailed in China and setting up disarmament negotiations.

The ninth annual meeting of the Assembly was one of high drama and personal tragedy, capped by Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold's proposal to go to Red China and the death of Andrei Y. Vishinsky, the Soviet Union's venom-tongued chief delegate.

The Western Allies were more solidly united than ever before.

From the viewpoint of the Western democracies, the successes of the ninth annual meeting of the 60-nation world parliament which ended Friday night were many. Its failures were few.

The high point of the entire Assembly was the debate on the prisoners, with thirty-four-year-old British delegate Anthony Nutting making what delegates agreed was the greatest speech of this meeting and one of the best of any assembly.

"These airmen are not just members of the American Air Force," Nutting said. "They are soldiers of the world organization sent to fight by the will of the UN.

"Though they can not hear us, we can and must speak for them. Their lives, their freedom, their future, their safety, is our responsibility—the responsibility of each and every one of us present here today.

"They went forth to uphold our cause. We must uphold theirs."

The debate was climaxed by a vote instructing Hammarskjold to do all he can to release the men. He promptly arranged a Christmastime meeting with the Chinese Reds in Peiping.

From the Communist viewpoint, this assembly was practically a disaster.

United States chief delegate Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. said in a statement after the Assembly closed:

"The UN knocked down decisively all the various Soviet bloc items, most of which were strongly anti-America. Their score of accomplishment was zero.

"A wonderful session for lovers of freedom throughout the world."

There were 72 items on the Assembly's agenda.

They ranged from the atoms for peace plan to a committee report on "customs, ancient laws and practices affecting the human dignity of women."

—Obituaries—

MRS. HUGH BIGGAR

Mrs. Hugh Biggar, 86, died around 7 a.m. Saturday at her residence, 110 Hilton, following a long illness.

She was born in New York state, but had resided in Monroe for about 67 years.

Survivors include one daughter, Miss Leona Biggar; two sons, Oswald and Charles, one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bess Biggar, all of Monroe; five grandchildren, all of Monroe.

The body will lie in state at the residence until time for services at 10:30 a.m. Monday at the St. Matthews Catholic Church. Burial will be in Catholic Cemetery in Bastrop under the direction of Hixson Brothers Funeral Home of Monroe.

A rosary service will be held at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at residence.

Monsignor J. C. Marsh will officiate.

Pallbearers will include Ivy Jordan, Herbert Walker, Nathan Kern, Eddie Dalton, Bob Boyt, Stanley Hodges.

JOE ORLAND GRAYSON

DELHI, Dec. 18 (Specil)—Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Newton Baptist Church for Joe Orland Grayson, 62, who died of a heat attack Friday night at his residence, Route Two, Delhi.

Services will be conducted by Rev. B. F. Kelly, assisted by Rev. W. A. Deerman.

Interment will be in the Delhi Masonic Cemetery, under the direction of Catron-Gay Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will include Lawson Travis, Bert Barnes, Allen LaPrairie, W. B. Baum, J. M. Ball, Alton Donald, Bub York, and Carlton Johnson.

Grayson is survived by his wife, Mrs. Nora Grayson, Delhi; one son, Hilburn L. Grayson, Jackson, Miss.; four daughters, Mrs. Ray Newton, Delhi; Mrs. Henry Newton, Epps, Mrs. W. H. Hurley, Jackson, Miss., and Mrs. Paul B. Payne, Tremont, Tex.; one brother, Johnny Grayson, Magee, Miss.; five sisters, Mrs. John Parrish, Tex.; Mrs. Tom Collingston, Rayville; Mrs. Clarence Smith, Magee, Miss.; Mrs. Hugh Yates, Collins, Miss.; and Mrs. Houston Griffith, Boyle, Miss., and 12 grandchildren.



HANDSOME NEW CHAPEL—This edifice will be in use today for the first time. It is the new sanctuary of the Southside Methodist Church, 1623 South Fourth Street, Monroe. It was erected at a cost of $20,000. (News-Star—World staff photo.)



GIVEN COMMENDATIONS—Two members of the local National Guard unit were recently given commendations by Lt. Col. Henry R. Hodgkinson, center, representing the inspector general of the Fourth Army. Master Sergeant Milton Smith, right, was given a commendation for his outstanding performance while a member of the 12th Infantry Regiment in Europe. Pictured on the left is Cpl. Jerry R. Hibbard, who was awarded the expert marksmanship medal from the National Rifle Association for his activities at the Camp Perry, Ohio, meet. (Staff photo by John I. Fogleman.)

Nuclear Weapons To Be Used When U. S. Sees Fit

PARIS, Dec. 18 (AP)—NATO's leaders apparently have agreed that the decision on whether to use the atomic bomb in defense of Western Europe might, of necessity, be made by the United States government.

The U.S. delegation held to its stand at the two-day session of the North Atlantic Treaty Council here that no rigid rule could be laid down in advance on who should pull the trigger, and that the United States, as the chief atomic power in the Western Alliance, must have the final say about the use of atomic weapons from soil it controls.

The Americans, headed by Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, made it plain they want to consult their allies if possible before making any decision. But as Belgian Foreign Minister Paul-Henri Spaak told reporters today:

"If an atomic bomb knocks out the telephone, I don't think we can wait for the service to be reestablished before we make a decision."

Winding up their session here today the foreign defense and finance ministers of the 14 allies who make up the NATO Council disclosed only in a negative way the conclusions of their discussions on atomic weapons.

A communique, which avoided even mentioning atomic weapons by name, said only that the Council had approved plans including "modern developments in weapons and techniques." It then added that this approval "did not involve the delegation of responsibility of governments to make decisions for putting plans into action in the event of hostilities."

This was a backhanded way of saying that civilians, not the military, would have the final decision as is the tradition in democracies.

It left up in the air two big questions: What civilians? And what happens if the military chiefs on the spot can't get in touch with their governments?

The answers to both questions apparently remained military secrets.

But there was no indication that the United States would have to change any standing instructions that may already have been given to U.S. Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther, supreme Allied commander in Europe.



YULETIDE TASTE TEST — Three children of employees of Southern Natural Gas Company to serve as official taste testers of contents of one of the candy and toy packets to be parachuted from the firm's patrol planes this week to children living in lonely houses along pipe lines in a six-state area. Seated among part of the 2,000 gift sacks to be dropped as the company's annual Christmas greetin to the tots, are, from left, Danny Holloway, Danna Tamblyn and Jon Downey, all of Birmingham.

Chinese Students Detained In U. S. Long For Home

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP) — A number of the Chinese students who want to return to Red China spoke up around the country today to say that home and family ties, not Communist beliefs, prompt their desire.

They are among the 35 technically trained Chinese to whom the State Department thus far has refused to issue exit permits, apparently for fear that special training they acquired in this country might be used against the United States if they returned to their Communist-dominated homeland.

The State Department has refused to identify the individual Chinese by name, address or special training, but among them are highly trained chemists and physicists, including at least one who specialized in nuclear physics.

He is Chia Hua Chang, 38 who left his wife and three children behind in the port city of Foochow, opposite Formosa, when he came here five years ago to study at Washington University in St. Louis. That was before the Communists gained control of China.

He won a ph.d. degree in physics, wrote his thesis on nuclear physics, and worked for a year on the university's cyclotron, a machine vital in atomic sciene. Now he wants to go back.

Politics is not important to me," he said. I just want to be with my family."

Held in an anti-Communist country and wanting to return to a Red-dominated one, the students who could be reached for comment carefully expressed no opinion on communism—whatever their beliefs.

The Detroit Lions in the NFL have a radio announcer on their team. Defensive halfback Jim David was one of the broadcasters of the Colorado A & M baseball games during the 1954 season.

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Group Will Seek Annexation Issue Council Hearing

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The letter will be posted Sunday, which is the last day for filing such a request, Elton H. Busbice president of the water district board of commissioners said.

He added that the commission is taking this action on behalf of the residents in the area who signed with the new water district, and have not signed a petition to be annexed by the city.

"The commission feels," Busbice said, "that the city's haste in annexing this small area is to break up the water district which was formed to help acquire water supplies for persons living in the areas outside of the city limits."

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TO PARTICIPATE IN PAGEANT—The group shown above will participate in the Christmas pageant, along with the choir, at the Sterlington Baptist Church tonight at 7:30. Left to right, Morris McCain, O'Guilva McDougle, Mrs. V. P. Lipsey, Virginia Brunson, Victor Parrish, Clifford Smith, Jack Usrey and Warren Gay.

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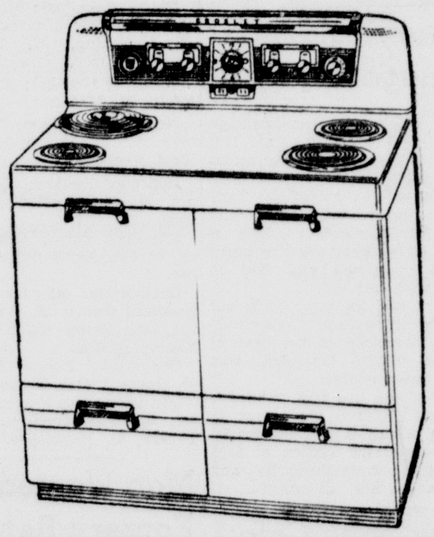
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STATE REPORTS

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Completions were:

Acadia — Iota, Elge Rasberry No. 2 Elge Rasbrry, S24-8S-2W, 157 bbls. with 9-64" choke; Rayne, Continental Oil Co. No. 1 Gerard Mouton, S47-9S-2E, 348 bbls. oil & 6,329 MCF gas with 12-64" choke.

Concordia — Bee Brake, E. C. Wentworth - Como Drlg. Co. No. A-2 Quinn, S18-4N-7E, 99 bbls. with open choke; Esperance Point, Olin Gas Transmission Corp. No. 3 OGTC-Campbell, S4-5N-9E, 89.35 bbls. with 8.64" choke.

Iberia — Iberia, Estate of Wm. G. Helis No. 12 Bullock, S25-12S-7E, 83.20 bbls. with 9-64" choke.

Iberville — Sullivans Lake, Union Producing Co. No. C-1 Schwing, S27-10S-11E no gauge & 6,934 MCF gas with 8-16" choke; Bayou Choctaw, Carter Oil Co. No. 28 Gay Union Corp. S52-9S-11E, 15 bbls. & 1100 MCF gas with 11-64" choke.

Jefferson — Grand Isle, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. E-4 St. Lse. 797, offshore, 302.26 bbls. with ½" choke; Little Lake, Richardson & Bass (La. Acct.) No. 9 Cal-Nat State 2453 Unit B, S16-18S-23E, 154 bbls. with 8-64" choke.

Lafourche — Clovelly, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 14 Lafourche Land Co., S6-19S-22E, 178.86 bbls. oil with ½" choke; Delta Farms, The Texas Co. No. 28 St. Lse. 356-Bayou Perot, S—17S-23E, 161 bbls. oil & 1154 MCF gas with ½" choke; Leeville, The Texas Co. No. 166 LL&E, Leeville, S14-21S-22E, 210 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Raceland, Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 South Coast Corp. "C", S38-15S-19E, 35 bbls. & 1799 MCF gas with 10-64" choke.

Plaquemines — Grand Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 71 La. St. "QQ", S5-20S-19E, 133 bbls. with 7-64" choke; Main Pass Block 69, Shell Oil Co. No. 3 St. Lse. 1357, offshore, 52 bbls. with 11-64" choke.

Terrebonne — Bay St. Elaine, The Texas Co. No. 12 St. Lse. 200-Bay St. Elaine Unit 20, S—22S-17E, 195 bbls. with 7-64" choke.

St. Mary — Bateman Lake, The Texas Co. No. 11-A Wax Bayou Co., S5-17S-12E, 108 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Bateman Lake, The Texas Co. No. 14 Woodard, Kepper, S10-17S-12E, 146 bbls. with 6-64" choke.

Abandonments were:

Beauregard — East Perkins, Sam J. Recile No. 1 Haymen - Union Sulphur, S35-7S-10W, to 6606-dry; Singer, Magnolia Pet. Co. No. 3 Lutcher-Moore "C", S22-5S-11W, to 8150-P&A.

Calcasieu — Starks, Jefferson Lake Sulphur Co. No. 81-J Lutcher - Moore, S19-9S-12W, to 1383-dry; Starks, Jefferson Lake Sulphur Co. No. 99-J Lutcher-Moore S19-9S-12W, to 1638-dry; Sulphur Mines, Union Sulphur & Oil Corp. No. 889 Fee, S20-9S-10W, to 4770-P&A; Vinton, Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Jardell, S26-10S-12W, to 10226-P&A; Wildcat, Quintana Prod. Co. No. 1 Fred Vincent, S7-10S-9W, to 6276-dry.

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Lafourche — Timballier Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 1 La. St. Lse. 2008, in S—, to 13650-dry.

Terrebonne — Dog Lake, The Texas Co. No. 11 St. Lse. 200-Dog Lake Unit 12, S1-22S-15E, to 7467-dry;

Union — Truxno, A. A. Gilbert No. 3 Frost Lbr. Inds., S19-23N-1E, to 2230- P&A; A. A. Gilbert No. 4 Frost Lbr. Inc., S19-23N-1E, to 2311-P&A; A. A. Gilbert No. 5 Frost Lbr. Inds., S19-23N-1E, to 2199-P&A; J. C. Williams, Jr., No. B-6 J. H. Hale, S19-23N-1E, to 2200-P&A; Wildcat, M. H. Marr No. 1 Bennett, S30-22N-3W, to 11643-dry.

Webster — Cotton Valley, Hunt Oil Co. No. 1 Scott - Childs Unit, S19-21N-9W, to 5806-dry.

Permits were:

Acadia — Iota, T. J. McIntyre, McIntyre Oil Co. No. 1 Louise Launy, S16-8S-1W, to Medlenka Sand; Midland, Houston Oil Co. of Texas No. 1 May Roy Richard et al, S14-10S-1W, to 11,800'-Frio; South Lewisburg, Union Sulphur & Oil Corp. No. 1 Unit 6 Well, S73-7S-3E, to 12,000'.

Ascension — Darrow, Temple Hargrove No. A-2A Gulf Fee-Belle Helene, S27-10S-2E, to 6500'; St. Gabriel, Continental Oil Co. No. 1 W. E. Caldwell, S20-9S-2E, to 11,500'-Miocene;

Assumption — East Lake Palourde, The Superior Oil Co. No. 1 Edna P. Frymire et al, S31-15S-14E, to 14,000'.

Avoyelles — Wildcat, Vasser & Brown No. 1 Ben J. Altheimer, S38-4N-2E, to 7250'-Wilcox.

Beauregard — Ragley, Byrd Oil Corp. et al No. 1 P. J. Barbe, S24-6S-9W, to 7300'; Wildcat, American Republics Corp.-Houston Oil Co. No. 1 Rice Land Lbr. Co., S5-5S-11W, to 8950'-Yegua.

Bossier — Wildcat, George Belchic, Jr. No. 1 M. R. Bolinger, S3-22N-13W, to 3100'-Toko;

Caddo — Caddo - Pine Island, McGoldrick Oil Co. No. 2 Petts "B", S15-21N-15W, to chalk; G. Y. G. Oil Co. No. 2 G. E. & M, S2-20N-16W, to chalk; G. Y. G. Oil Co. No. 1 G. E. & M., S2-20N-16W, to chalk; Gary and Gibson No. 17 Muslow, S6-20N-15W, to chalk; Gary and Gibson No. 18 Muslow, S6-20N-15W, to chalk; Ko-Ler Markham No. 3 Muslow, S6-20N-15W, to chalk; Howard S. Cole, Jr., No. 26 Pardue, S33-21N-15W, to chalk; Boger and Lake No. 1 Homestead Oil Co. Fee 10, S7-20N-15W, to chalk; Honor Oil Co. No. 6 Keoun, S19-21N-14W, to chalk; Galoob and Balter No. 3 Logan "B", S26-21N-15W, to anona; E. W. McGoldrick No. 40 Muslow, S31-21N-15W, to chalk; P&S Oil Co. No. 15 E. R. Dorian, S18-21N-15W, to chalk; P & S Oil Co. No. 16 E. R. Dorian, S18-21N-15W, to chalk; P. J. Boyter et al No. 2 The Land Co., S9-20N-15W, to chalk; J. P. Boyter et al No. 4 The Land Co., S9-20N-15W, to chalk;

Cameron — Black Bayou, John W. Mecom No. 1 E. W. & H. L. Brown, S17-12S-12W, to 8500'.

Catahoula — Wildcat, E. C. Wentworth No. 2 Rhone, S7-6N-7E, to Wilcox; Wildcat, E. C. Wentworth No. A-1 Beltzhoover, S36-6N-5E, to Wilcox;

Concordia — Bee Brake, E. C. Wentworth - Como Drilling Co. No. A-4 Quinn, S18-4N-7E, to Wilcox; Esperance Point, Hunter Jones No. D-2 Greer-State Unit D, S7-5N-9E, to Wilcox; Milestone Forks, Durbin Bond & Co. & Petersen Pet. Corp. No. 5 H. A. Turner, S20-8N-10E, to 8500'-Wilcox.

Claiborne — Colquitt, A. M. Jackson & A. C. Duerr No. 1 H. J. Wise Unit, S27-23N-6W, to 10,700'-Smackover; Wildcat, T. L. James & Co. Inc. No. 1 Scaife, S28-22N-5W, to Smackover.

Franklin — S. Big Creek, J. A. Harper Co. No. 2 Kincaid, S17-16N-8E, to 3500'.

Iberia — Eugene Island Blk. 110 (O. S.), Magnolia Pet. Co. No. H-1 State Lse 681, Blk. 89, Offshore, to 14,000'; Wildcat (O. S.), The Pure Oil Co. No. A-1 State Lse. 1079, Gulf of Mexico, to 14,000'; Weeks Island, Shell Oil Co. No. 1 Smith State Unit "K", S17-14S-7E, to 16,250'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 43-L Petit Anse Co. "B," S23-13S-5E, to 9500'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 48-U Petit Anse Co. "B," S23-13S-5E, to 9000'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 45-L Petit Anse Co. "B,", S23-13S-5E, to 9500'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 44-U Petit Anse Co. "B," S23-13S-5E, to 9000'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 44-L Petit Anse Co. "B", S22-13S-5E, to 9500'; Fausse Point, The Texas Co. No. 11 Kling - Walet, S27-11S-8E, TO 8400'; Weeks Island, Shell Oil Co. No. 5 Smith State Unit H, S14-14S-6E, to 11,300'.

Iberville — Wildcat, Max Pray No. 1 Wilbert's Lbr. & Shg. Co., S40-9S-9E, to 13,500'.

Jefferson — Lafitte, Shell Oil Co. No. 1 Shell-Texas-Jones-State Unit "A," S11-17S-24E, to 11,000'.

Jefferson Davis — Lake Arthur, Benedum-Trees Oil Co. No. 1 Heirs of Numa Mallet et al, S27-10S-4W, to Camerina Sand-12,000'.

Lafourche — Bay de Chene, The Texas Co. No. B-32 Bay de Chene Unit, S—19S-24E, to 8100'; Bully Camp, Gulf Ref. Co.-No. 67 Dita Sec. Co. Inc., S36-16S-20E, to 5000'-Miocene; Bully Camp, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 70 Delta Sec. Co. Inc., S36-16S-20E, to 7500'-Miocene; Bully Camp, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 65-D Delta Sec. Co., Inc. S36-16S-20E, to 6650'-Miocene; Wildcat, Olin Gas Transmission Corp. No. 1 Grandison "A," S34-19S-23E, to 13,000'.

LaSalle — Wildcat, Magnolia Pet. Co. No. 6 Urania Lbr. Co., S31-11N-2E, to 4000'.

Natchitoches — Lake End, Clay Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 W. T. Downs, S31-11N-9W, to 1400'-Nacatoch;

Plaquemines — Dixon Bay, The California Co. No. 1 Harley S. Howcott et al Unit, S—, to 8900'; Lake Washington, The Texas Co. No. 2 State-Cockrell Unit 4, S—20S-27E, to 8000'; Lake Washington, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 30 State Lse. 212 Lake Washington, S—, to 10,000'.

Red River — Bull Bayou, Douglas Whitaker No. D-1 Blount Fee, S2-12N-11W, to Paluxy-2850'.

Richland — Big Creek, A. W. Phillips No. 3 Pardue, S9-16N-7E, to Tuscaloosa; Big Creek, J. A. Harper Co. No. 1 W. H. Lee, S33-17N-8E, to Tuscaloosa; Big Creek, J. A. Harper Co. No. 5 Pardue, S10-16N-7E, to Kilpatrick Line; Big Creek, A. W. Phillips No. 3 Delta Lbr. Co., S15-16N-7E, to 2900'.

St. Charles — Bayou Couba, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 84 Delta Sec. Co., Inc., S14-15S-21E, to 7500'-Miocene.

St. Landry — North Cankton, Bates and Cornell No. 5 Vincent Boagni, S49-8S-4), to 4450'; North Cankton, Robert L. Waterbury No. 1 Alice C. Prejean, S13-8S-3E, to 4400'; Washington, Sohio Pet. Co.-Gulf Ref. Co. No. 1 Carl F. Woods, S29-6S-5E to Miocene "H."

St. Martin — North American Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 2 R. H. Goodrich et al "K," S30-14S-12E, to 2200'.

St. Mary — Bateman Lake, The Texas Co. No. 15 Woodward, Kepper & Longmire, S10-17S-12E, to 11,800'; Eugene Island Blk. 18 (O. S.), Shell Oil Co. No. 4 State Lse. 1667, Offshore, to 10,500'; Eugene Island Blk. 126 (O. S.), Magnolia Pet. Co. No. G-1 State Lse. 694, Offshore, to 10,500'; Franklin, Southern Natural Gas Co. No. 1 Mrs. Jules Godchaux et al, S37-15S-9E, to 13,000'; Jeanerette, The Atlantic Ref. Co. No. 8 Adeline Sugar Factory Co., S18-13S-9E, to 7500'-Miocene; Jeanerette, The Atlantic Ref. Co. No. 4 Adeline Sugar Factory Co., S18-13S-9E, to 7500'-Miocene.

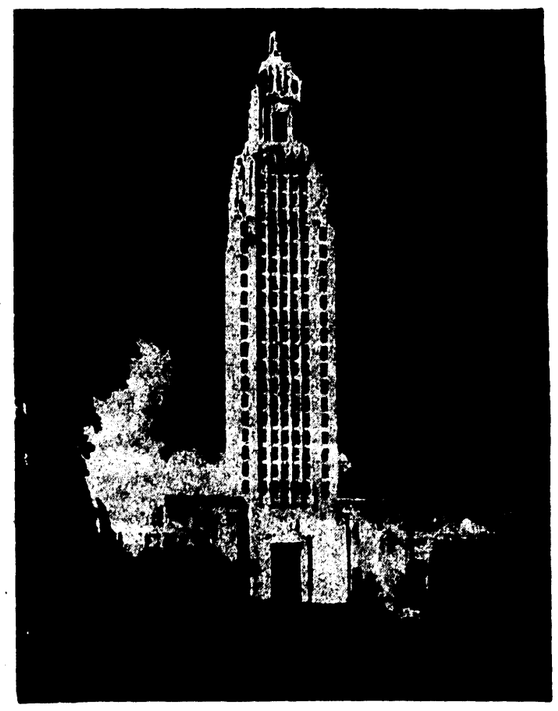
Tensas — Wildcat, Southern Natural Gas Co. No. 1 Philip Watson, S28-10N-11E, to 9200'.

Terrebonne — Bay St. Elaine, Freeport Sulphur Co. No. 84 Bay St. Elaine Unit, S8-22S-18E, to Sulphur-900'; Caillou Island, The Texas Co. No. 86 State-Terrebonne Bay, S—23S-19E, to 7700'; Kent Bayou, Union Producing Co. No. A-13 Continental Land & Fur Co., S6-18S-14E, to 11,500'; Lake Pelto, The Texas Co. No. 12-11 Lake Pelto Unit, S19-23S-18E, to 8000'.

Union — Monroe, Southwest Natural Production Co. No. 3 L. E. Smith, S25-20N-2E, to 2250'-Gas Rock; Monroe, Southwest Natural Production Co. No. 1 Smith-Acres Unit, S25-20N-2E, to 2250'-Gas Rock.

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EMERGENCY PLANS LAID—Lt. Jim Daniel (left) and Capt. M. E. Kidd (seated), state police officers who serve on the District F Civil Defense staff and Russell Prior, ex-Indiana state trooper who serves with the federal Civil Defense Administration headquarters in Battle Creek, Mich., look over plans for emergency police operations in the Monroe area. The state police officers and Prior assisted in the holding of a Civil Defense traffic school for law enforcement officers of the Northeast Louisiana area last June.



AFTER RE-ENLISTING in the Army for three years, Pfc. Icy D. Kendrick (left) of Ruston, La., is congratulated at Camp Tokyo, Japan, by Capt. Russel A. Bergman, commanding officer, Station Complement, Tokyo Ordnance Depot. Private First Class Kendrick, an electrician with the 8160th Army Unit, entered the Army in April, 1953, completed basic training at Camp Chaffee, Ark., and arrived in the Far East last April. He is the son of Arnett L. Kendrick, Route 2. (U. S. Army photo.)

Campbell Begins Test In Catahoula

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 — Richard A. Campbell has staked operations and rigged up the No. 1 Calhoun in Catahoula parish. The test which is a new one, is 1100 feet north of the Earl C. "Wimpy" Wentworth discovery well No. 1 Rhone which recently opened up a new field.

In Concordia parish, Carter Oil Company has abandoned the No. B 1 Fisher Lumber Company, a wildcat two and three fourth miles northwest of St. Genevieve. The Jett Drilling Company is rigging up on the No. 3 Hogue in Section 8-5N of Concordia parish in the Esperance Field.

In the summer of 1953 a uranium rush started in Canada's Blind River district east of Sault Ste. Marie, says the National Geographic Society. Within a few weeks 10,000 claims were staked.

Three Producers Are Brought In During Past Week

Three producers and seven locations were listed in the weekly field report of oil and gas wells drilled and completed in the Monroe district for the period ending Dec. 16. The report, which also listed some seven wells plugged and abandoned, was issued by the local office of the department of conservation, minerals division.

Producers brought in during the past week included:

McCain-Marshall-Donnell No. 2, completed on Nov. 10 at a depth of 3,167 feet and gauged at 48 bbls with a gravity of 39. It was located in Section 24, Township 17, Range 8E of the Delhi field of Richland parish.

Union Prod. Co. - Penrod Jurden No. 17, completed on Dec. 7 at a depth of 3,121 feet and gauged at 55 bbls with a gravity of 26. It is located in Section 16, Township 11, Range 10E of the Holly Ridge field of Tensas parish.

United Carbon Co.-J. A. Hollis et al No. 3, completed on Dec. 12 in 172 MCF at a depth of 2,142 feet. It is located in Section 24, Township 21, Range 2E of the Monroe field of Union parish.

Wells plugged and abandoned were:

Concordia parish (wild cat field)-The Carter Oil Company - Fisher Lbr. Co. plugged on Dec. 9 in Sec. 37-7-9E.

Franklin parish (South Big Creek field)-J. A. Harper Co.-Kincaid No. 1, abandoned on Dec. 10 in Sec. 34-11-2E.

LaSalle parish (wild cat field)-Magnolia Pet. Company - Hardner-Tann-Hill No. 1, plugged and abandoned on Dec. 10, in Sec. 34-11-2E; E. C. Wentworth Co.-La. Cent. Min. No. A 1, plugged on Dec. 10 in Sec. 36-11-4E.

Madison parish (wild cat field)-Amer. Lib. & Webb & Knapp-A.B. Learned No. 1, abandoned on Dec. 12 in Sec. 14-15-14E.

Richland parish (Big Creek field)-A. W. Phillips Co.-Pardue No. 3, abandoned on Dec. 16 in Sec. 9-16-7E.

Union parish (Monroe field)-La. Gas Prod. Co.-Rabun No. 18, abandoned on Dec. 15 in Sec. 18-19-3E.

New locations listed in the field report were:

East Carroll parish (Epps field)-H. L. Hawkins & F. S. Kelly, Jr.-H & K. Fee No. 6, 3150'N- 0 degrees 16' east and 2200'W of the SE corner, Sec. 1-19-10E.

West Carroll parish (wild cat field)-H. L. Hawkins & F. S. Kelly, Jr.-Marston-Herald No. 2, 1996'S-660'W of the NE corners, Sec. 15-19-10E.

Catahoula parish (wild cat field)-E. C. Wentworth-Beltzhoover No. A-1, from the southeast corner of Sec. 36, run north 660', thence run west for 645' to location, Sec. 36-6-5E.

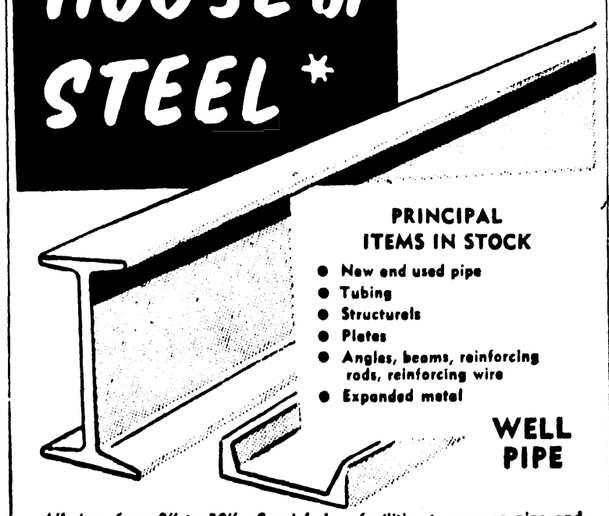
Concordia parish (Horseshoe field)-D. E. Vasser-Rose Oil Co.-Vasser & Brown-B. D. King et al No. 3, 2366, 'S-1452'W of the NE corner, Sec. 1-6-7E. (Milestone Forks field) - Durbin Bond & Co. & Petersne Pet. Corp.-H. A. Turner No. 5, from the NW corner of Sec. 19, go SE along the line between Sec. 19 and 20 for 2252', thence SW at right angles for 1241', Sec. 20-8-10E.

Richland parish (Big Creek field)—J. A. Harper Co.-W. H. Lee No. 1, 280'N-of the south line, 330'W of the east line of the S½ of the NE¼ of the NE¼, Sec. 33-17-8E.

Tensas parish (wild cat field)-Southern Nat'l Gas Co.-Philip Watson, No. 1, 790' south, 990'E of the NW corners, Sec. 28-10-11E. (Holly Ridge field)-Union Producing Co. (UPC)-Ogden No. 1, 1978'B-652'E of the SW corner, Sec. 16-11-10E.

Union parish (Monroe field)-La. Gas. Prod. Co.-Hay et al No. 1, 330'N-990'E of the SW corner of the NW¼, Sec. 8-19-3E.

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3 New Buildings To Be Constructed At Northwestern

NATCHITOCHES, Dec. 18 (Special) — A master plan for the construction of three new buildings and improvement of the library at Northwestern State College, involving a total cost of $1,700,000 was announced here by President John S. Kyser.

Dormitories for men and women and a biological science building are included in the college building program, along with expansion of the Northwestern library.

Northwestern's original allocation for new buildings and equipment was $1,000,000, but the state board of education recently authorized the college to make application for a loan of $700,000 in order to more nearly meet the expanding needs of the institution.

According to President Kyser, one of the first on the list of projects is the construction of a dormitory for men students at a cost of $525,000 and which would house 254 students. Plans call for this new edifice to be two storied and "Y" shaped. It will be located on the hill south of the men's gymnasium on the NSC campus, and overlooking Chaplin's Lake.

A dormitory for women, to house 150 students, is proposed, and will cost approximately $350,000.

Library expansion is estimated to cost around $275,000.

A new biological science building, to cost around $325,000, will be constructed, Dr. Kyser stated.

Equipment and utility lines for all four of these four projects has been estimated at $225,000, he added.

River Stages

Stations:	Flood Stage	Pres. Stage	24-Hr. change	
MISSISSIPPI				
St. Louis	30	0.1	0.1	Fall
Memphis	34	2.1	0.1	Fall
Helena	44	7.2	0.1	Rise
Arkansas City	42	3.1	0.1	Rise
Vicksburg	43	0.7	0.3	Fall
Natchez	48	s6.0	0.4	Fall
Red Rvr. Ldng.	45			
Baton Rouge	35	4.5	0.2	Fall
Donaldsonville	28	3.0	0.5	Fall
New Orleans	17	1.0	0.4	Fall
ATCHAFALAYA				
Morgan City	6	2.1	0.6	Fall
OUACHITA				
Camden	26	s11.9	0.9	Fall
Monroe	40	z14.4	0.0	
BLACK				
Jonesville	50	s10.9	0.7	Rise
OHIO				
Pittsburgh	25	z16.7	0.0	
Cincinnati	52	19.8	2.5	Rise
Cairo	40	14.7	0.0	
ARKANSAS				
Little Rock	23	-1.1	0.0	
RED				
Shreveport	39	10.7	0.5	Rise
Alexandria	32	1.6	2.2	Rise

s-Stage yesterday morning.
z-Pool stage.



COMMANDER — Captain Eugene A. Barham, above, of Oak Ridge, will assume the post of commander at Dam Neck base in Virginia. He has previously been commander of the destroyer division 262 which has been operating with the sixth fleet in the Mediterranean since September. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Barham, of Oak Ridge.

Army Sergeant Kills 40 Pound Bobcat

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 (Special)—Technical Sergeant John T. Thompson, of Foules, who is home on furlough, killed a forty pound bobcat near Black river Thursday afternoon.

Sergeant Thompson said that he came upon the big cat and another one fighting near the Black river in Concordia parish. He shot them both, wounding one which escaped and killing the big one.

Restoration Work To Begin Shortly

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 (Special)—Construction work in Concordia parish including 114,000 cubic yards of earthwork and the restoration of approximately 170 stations of levee on the left bank of Red River in this parish will begin within twenty days.

Col. Thomas B. Simpson, district engineer of the Vicksburg, Miss., district announced that the apparent low bidder for the work is Fred E. Freund, of Monroe, La. The amount of the bid was $40,-430.00.

There were seven bidders on the contract, two of whom were from Memphis, Tenn., one from Jackson, Miss., one from Monroe, the apparent low bidder — one from Pineville, and one from Markville, La. The work in the vicinity of the Bayou Cocodrie Draining structure is a part of the Bayou Cocodrie Levee Enlargement and Restoration Work.

COOK MONUMENT REPAIRED

KAILUA, Hawaii (AP) — The British frigate HMS Morecambe Bay made its first visit recently to Hawaii and the crew spent two days at Kealakekua Bay where they repaired the monument for Captain Cook, discoverer of the Hawaiian islands.

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LOUISIANA OIL AND GAS NEWS

STATE REPORTS

BATON ROUGE, Dec. 8 (AP) — The Louisiana Department of Conservation in its weekly oil report lists completion of 18 wells with an initial daily production of 2,466.79 bbls. oil & 17,376 MCF of gas, abandonment of 20 tests and issuance of permits for 80 wells.

Completions were:

Acadia — Iota, Elge Rasberry No. 2 Elge Rasbrry, S24-8S-2W, 157 bbls. with 9-64" choke; Rayne, Continental Oil Co. No. 1 Gerard Mouton, S47-9S-2E, 348 bbls. oil & 6,329 MCF gas with 12-64" choke.

Concordia — Bee Brake, E. C. Wentworth - Como Drlg. Co. No. A-2 Quinn, S18-4N-7E, 99 bbls. with open choke; Esperance Point, Olin Gas Transmission Corp. No. 3 OGTC-Campbell, S4-5N-9E, 89.25 bbls. with 8.64" choke.

Iberia — Iberia, Estate of Wm. G. Helis No. 12 Bullock, S25-12S-7E, 83.20 bbls. with 9-64" choke.

Iberville — Sullivans Lake, Union Producing Co. No. C-1 Schwing, S27-10S-11E no gauge & 6,934 MCF gas with 5-16" choke; Bayou Choctaw, Carter Oil Co. No. 25 Gay Union Corp. S52-9S-11E, 15 bbls. & 1160 MCF gas with 11-64" choke.

Jefferson — Grand Isle, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. E-4 St. Lse. 797, offshore, 302.26 bbls. with ½" choke; Little Lake, Richardson & Bass (La. Acct.) No. 9 Cal-Nat State 2453 Unit B, S16-18S-23E, 154 bbls. with 8-64" choke.

Lafourche — Clovelly, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 14 Lafourche Land Co., S6-19S-22E, 178.86 bbls. oil with ½" choke; Delta Farms, The Texas Co. No. 28 St. Lse. 356-Bayou Perot, S—17S-23E, 161 bbls. oil & 1154 MCF gas with ½" choke; Leeville, The Texas Co. No. 166 LL&E-Leeville, S14-21S-22E, 210 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Raceland, Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 South Coast Corp. "C", S39-15S-19E, 35 bbls. & 1799 MCF gas with 10-64" choke.

Plaquemines — Grand Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 71 La. St. "QQ", S5-20S-19E, 133 bbls. with 7-64" choke; Main Pass Block 69, Shell Oil Co. No. 3 St. Lse. 1357, offshore, 52 bbls. with 11-64" choke.

Terrebonne — Bay St. Elaine, The Texas Co. No. 12 St. Lse. 200-Bay St. Elaine Unit 20, S—22S-17E, 195 bbls. with 7-64" choke.

St. Mary — Bateman Lake, The Texas Co. No. 11-A Wax Bayou Co., S5-17S-12E, 108 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Bateman Lake, The Texas Co. No. 14 Woodard, Kepper, S10-17S-12E, 146 bbls. with 6-64" choke.

Abandonments were:

Beauregard — East Perkins, Sam J. Recile No. 1 Haymen - Union Sulphur, S35-7S-10W, to 6606-dry; Singer, Magnolia Pet. Co. No. 3 Lutcher-Moore "C", S22-5S-11W, to 8150-P&A.

Calcasieu — Starks, Jefferson Lake Sulphur Co. No. 81-J Lutcher - Moore, S19-9S-12W, to 1383-dry; Starks, Jefferson Lake Sulphur Co. No. 99-J Lutcher-Moore S19-9S-12W, to 1638-dry; Sulphur Mines, Union Sulphur & Oil Corp. No. 889 Fee, S20-9S-10W, to 4770-P&A; Vinton, Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Jardell, S26-10S-12W, to 10226-P&A; Wildcat, Quintana Prod. Co. No. 1 Fred Vincent, S7-10S-9W, to 6276-dry.

Cameron — Cameron, Stanolind Oil & Gas No. 3 E. R. & C. F. Henry Estate "B", S28-14S-9W, to 10950-dry;

Concordia — Bee Brake, R. A. Campbell No. 1 Campbell - Pasternack - Dale, S16-4N-7E, to 6785-dry; Bee Brake, E. C. Wentworth - Como Drlg. Co. No. A-2 Conn, S16-4N-7E, to 7024-dry; Wildcat, E. C. Wentworth - Como Drlg. Co. No. 1 Henderson et al, S32-4N-7E, to 7256-dry.

Iberville — Sullivan's Lake, Union Producing Co. No. A-1 Sching, S71-10S-11E, to 12948-dry.

Lafourche — Timballer Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 1 La. Se. Lse. 2008, in S—, to 13650-dry.

Terrebonne — Dog Lake, The Texas Co. No. 11 St. Lse. 200-Dog Lake Unit 12, S1-22S-15E, to 7467-dry;

Union — Truxno, A. A. Gilbert No. 3 Frost Lbr. Inds., S19-23N-1E, to 2230- P&A; A. A. Gilbert No. 4 Frost Lbr. Inc., S19-23N-1E, to 2211-P&A; A. A. Gilbert No. 5 Frost Lbr. Inds., S19-23N-1E, to 2199-P&A; J. C. Williams, Jr., No. B-6 J. H. Hale, S19-23N-1E, to 2200-P&A; Wildcat, M. H. Marr No. 1 Bennett, S30-22N-3W, to 11643-dry.

Webster — Cotton Valley, Hunt Oil Co. No. 1 Scott - Childs Unit, S19-21N-9W, to 5806-dry.

Permits were:

Acadia — Iota, T. J. McIntyre, McIntyre Oil Co. No. 1 Louise Launy, S18-8S-1W, to Medlenka Sand; Midland, Houston Oil Co. of Texas No. 1 May Roy Richard et al, S14-10S-1W, to 11,800'-Frio; South Lewisburg, Union Sulphur & Oil Corp. No. 1 Unit 6 Well, S73-7S-3E, to 12,000'.

Ascension — Darrow, Temple Hargrove No. A-2A Gulf Fee-Belle Helene, S27-10S-2E, to 6500'; St. Gabriel, Continental Oil Co. No. 1 W. E. Caldwell, S20-9S-2E, to 11,500'-Miocene;

Assumption — East Lake Palourde, The Superior Oil Co. No. 1 Edna P. Frymire et al, S31-15S-14E, to 14,000'.

Avoyelles — Wildcat, Vasser & Brown No. 1 Ben J. Altheimer, S38-4N-3E, to 7250'-Wilcox.

Beauregard — Ragley, Byrd Oil Corp. et al No. 1 P. J. Barbe, S24-6S-9W, to 7300'; Wildcat, American Republics Corp.-Houston Oil Co. No. 1 Rice Land Lbr. Co., S5-5S-11W, to 6950'-Yegua.

Bossier — Wildcat, George Belchic, Jr. No. 1 M. R. Bolinger, S3-22N-13W, to 3100'-Toko;

Caddo — Caddo - Pine Island, McGoldrick Oil Co. No. 2 Petts "B", S15-21N-15W, to chalk; G. Y. G. Oil Co. No. 2 G. E. & M. S2-20N-16W, to chalk; G. Y. G. Oil Co. No. 1 G. E. & M., S2-20N-16W, to chalk; Gary and Gibson No. 17 Muslow, S6-20N-15W, to chalk; Gary and Gibson No. 16 Muslow, S6-20N-15W, to chalk; Ko-Ler Markham No. 3 Muslow, S4-20N-15W, to chalk. Howard S. Cole, Jr., No. 26 Pardue, S33-21N-15W, to chalk; Boger and Lake No. 1 Homestead Oil Co. Fee 10, S7-20N-15W, to chalk; Honor Oil Co. No. 6 Keoun, S19-21N-14W, to chalk; Galoob and Balter No. 3 Logan "B", S26-21N-15W, to anona; E. W. McGoldrick No. 40 Muslow, S31-21N-15W, to chalk; P&S Oil Co. No. 15 E. R. Dorian, S18-21N-15W, to chalk; P & S Oil Co. No. 16 E. R. Dorian, S18-21N-15W, to chalk; P. J. Boyter et al No. 2 The Land Co., S9-20N-15W, to chalk; J. P. Boyter et al No. 4 The Land Co., S9-20N-15W, to chalk;

Cameron — Black Bayou, John W. Mecom No. 1 E. W. & H. L. Brown, S17-12S-12W, to 8500'.

Catahoula — Wildcat, E. C. Wentworth No. 2 Rhone, S7-6N-7E, to Wilcox; Wildcat, E. C. Wentworth No. A-1 Beltzhoover, S36-6N-5E, to Wilcox;

Concordia — Bee Brake, E. C. Wentworth - Como Drilling Co. No. A-4 Quinn, S18-4N-7E, to Wilcox; Esperance Point, Hunter Jones No. D-2 Greer-State Unit D. S7-5N-9E, to Wilcox; Milestone Forks, Durbin Bond & Co. & Petersen Pet. Corp. No. 5 H. A. Turner, S20-8N-10E, to 5800'-Wilcox.

Claiborne — Colquitt, A. M. Jackson & A. C. Duerr No. 1 H. J. Wise Unit, S27-23N-6W, to 10,700'-Smackover; Wildcat, T. L. James & Co. Inc. No. 1 Scaife, S28-22N-5W, to Smackover.

Franklin — S. Big Creek, J. A. Harper Co. No. 2 Kincaid, S17-16N-8E, to 3500'.

Iberia — Eugen. Island Blk. 110 (O. S.), Magnolia Pet. Co. No. H-1 State Lse. 681, Blk. 88, Offshore, to 14,000'; Wildcat (O. S.), The Pure Oil Co. No. A-1 State Lse. 1079, Gulf of Mexico, to 14,000'; Weeks Island, Shell Oil Co. No. 1 Smith State Unit "K", S17-14S-7E, to 16,250'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 43-L Petit Anse Co. "B," S23-13S-5E, to 9500'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 45-U Petit Anse Co. "B," S23-13S-5E, to 9000'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 45-L Petit Anse Co. "B," S23-13S-5E, to 9500'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 44-U Petit Anse Co. "B," S23-13S-5E, to 9000'; Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 44-L Petit Anse Co. "B", S23-13S-5E, to 9500'; Fausse Point, The Texas Co. No. 11 Kling - Walet, S27-11S-8E, TO 8400'; Weeks Island, Shell Oil Co. No. 5 Smith State Unit H, S14-14S-6E, to 11,300'.

Iberville — Wildcat, Max Pray No. 1 Wilbert's Lbr. & Shg. Co., S40-9S-8E, to 13,500'.

Jefferson — Lafitte, Shell Oil Co. No. 1 Shell-Texas-Jones-State Unit "A," S11-17S-24E, to 11,000'.

Jefferson Davis — Lake Arthur, Benedum-Trees Oil Co. No. 1 Heirs of Numa Mallet et al, S27-10S-4W, to Camerina Sand-12,000'.

Lafourche — Bay de Chene, The Texas Co. No. B-32 Bay de Chene Unit, S—19S-24E, to 9100'; Bully Camp, Gulf Ref. Co.-No. 67 Dita Sec. Co. Inc., S36-18S-20E, to 5000'-Miocene; Bully Camp, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 70 Delta Sec. Co. Inc., S36-18S-20E, to 7500'-Miocene; Bully Camp, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 65-D Delta Sec. Co., Inc. S36-18S-20E, to 6650'-Miocene; Wildcat, Olin Gas Transmission Corp. No. 1 Grandison "A," S34-19S-23E, to 13,000'.

LaSalle — Wildcat, Magnolia Pet. Co. No. 6 Urania Lbr. Co., S31-11N-2E, to 4000'.

Natchitoches — Lake End, Clay Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 W. T. Downs, S31-11N-9W, to 1400'-Nacatoch;

Plaquemines — Dixon Bay, The California Co. No. 1 Harley S. Howcott et al Unit, S—, to 8900'; Lake Washington, The Texas Co. No. 2 State-Cockrell Unit 4, S—20S-27E, to 8000'; Lake Washington, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 30 State Lse. 212 Lake Washington, S—, to 10,000'.

Red River — Bull Bayou, Douglas Whitaker No. D-1 Blount Fee, S2-12N-11W, to Paluxy-2850'.

Richland — Big Creek, A. W. Phillips No. 3 Pardue, S9-16N-7E, to Tuscaloosa; Big Creek, J. A. Harper Co. No. 1 W. H. Lee, S33-17N-8E, to Tuscaloosa; Big Creek, J. A. Harper Co. No. 5 Pardue, S10-16N-7E, to Kilpatrick Line; Big Creek, A. W. Phillips No. 3 Delta Lbr. Co., S15-16N-7E, to 2900'.

St. Charles — Bayou Couba, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 84 Delta Sec. Co., Inc., S14-13S-21E, to 7500'-Miocene.

St. Landry — North Cankton, Bates and Cornell No. 5 Vincent Boagni, S49-8S-4), to 4450'; North Cankton, Robert L. Waterbury No. 1 Alice C. Prejean, S13-8S-3E, to 4400'; Washington, Sohio Pet. Co.-Gulf Ref. Co. No. 1 Carl F. Woods, S29-4S-5E to Miocene "H."

St. Martin — North American Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 2 R. H. Goodrich et al "K," S30-14S-12E, to 2200'.

St. Mary — Bateman Lake, The Texas Co. No. 15 Woodward, Kepper & Longmire, S10-17S-12E, to 11,800'; Eugene Island Blk. 18 (O. S.), Shell Oil Co. No. 4 State Lse. 1667, Offshore, to 10,500'; Eugene Island Blk. 126 (O. S.), Magnolia Pet. Co. No. G-1 State Lse. 694, Offshore, to 10,500'; Franklin, Southern Natural Gas Co. No. 1 Mrs. Jules Godchaux et al, S37-15S-9E, to 13,000'; Jeanerette, The Atlantic Ref. Co. No. 8 Adeline Sugar Factory Co., S18-13S-9E, to 7500'-Miocene; Jeanerette, The Atlantic Ref. Co. No. 4 Adeline Sugar Factory Co., S18-13S-9E, to 7500-Miocene.

Tensas — Wildcat, Southern Natural Gas Co. No. 1 Philip Watson, S28-10N-11E, to 9200'.

Terrebonne — Bay St. Elaine, Freeport Sulphur Co. No. 84 Bay St. Elaine Unit, S8-22S-18E, to Sulphur-900'; Caillou Island, The Texas Co. No. 86 State-Terrebonne Bay, S—23S-19E, to 7700'; Kent Bayou, Union Producing Co. No. A-13 Continental Land & Fur Co., S6-18S-14E, to 11,500'; Lake Pelto, The Texas Co. No. 12-11 Lake Pelto Unit, S19-23S-18E, to 8900'.

Union — Monroe, Southwest Natural Production Co. No. 3 L. E. Smith, S25-20N-2E, to 2250'-Gas Rock; Monroe, Southwest Natural Production Co. No. 1 Smith-Acres Unit, S25-20N-2E, to 2250'-Gas Rock.

Campbell Begins Test In Catahoula

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 — Richard A. Campbell has staked operations and rigged up the No. 1 Calhoun in Catahoula parish. The test which is a new one, is 1100 feet north of the Earl C. "Wimpy" Wentworth discovery well No. 1 Rhone which recently opened up a new field.

In Concordia parish, Carter Oil Company has abandoned the No. B 1 Fisher Lumber Company, a wildcat two and three fourth miles northwest of St. Genevieve. The Jett Drilling Company is rigging up on the No. 3 Hogue in Section 8-5N of Concordia parish in the Esperance Field.

In the summer of 1953 a uranium rush started in Canada's Blind River district east of Sault Ste. Marie, says the National Geographic Society. Within a few weeks 10,000 claims were staked.

Three Producers Are Brought In During Past Week

Three producers and seven locations were listed in the weekly field report of oil and gas wells drilled and completed in the Monroe district for the period ending Dec. 16. The report, which also listed some seven wells plugged and abandoned, was issued by the local office of the department of conservation, minerals division.

Producers brought in during the past week included:

McCain-Marshall-Donnell No. 2, completed on Nov. 10 at a depth of 3,167 feet and gauged at 48 bbls with a gravity of 39. It was located in Section 24, Township 17, Range 8E of the Delhi field of Richland parish.

Union Prod. Co. - Penrod Jurden No. 17, completed on Dec. 7 at a depth of 3,121 feet and gauged at 55 bbls with a gravity of 26. It is located in Section 16, Township 11, Range 10E of the Holly Ridge field of Tensas parish.

United Carbon Co.-J. A. Hollis et al No. 3, completed on Dec. 12 in 172 MCF at a depth of 2,142 feet. It is located in Section 24, Township 21, Range 2E of the Monroe field of Union parish.

Wells plugged and abandoned were:

Concordia parish (wild cat field)-The Carter Oil Company - Fisher Lbr. Co. plugged on Dec. 9 in Sec. 37-7-3E.

Franklin parish (South Big Creek field)-J. A. Harper Co.-Kincaid No. 1, abandoned on Dec. 10 in Sec. 34-11-2E.

LaSalle parish (wild cat field)-Magnolia Pet. Company - Hardner-Tann-Hill No. 1, plugged and abandoned on Dec. 10, in Sec. 34-11-2E; E. C. Wentworth Co.-La. Cent. Min. No. A-1, plugged on Dec. 10 in Sec. 36-11-4E.

Madison parish (wild cat field)-Amer. Lib. & Webb & Knapp-A.B. Learned No. 1, abandoned on Dec. 12 in Sec. 14-15-14E.

Richland parish (Big Creek field)-A. W. Phillips Co.-Pardue No. 3, abandoned on Dec. 16 in Sec. 9-16-7E.

Union parish (Monroe field)-La. Gas Prod. Co.-Rabun No. 18, abandoned on Dec. 15 in Sec. 18-19-3E.

New locations listed in the field report were:

East Carroll parish (Epps field)-H. L. Hawkins & F. S. Kelly, Jr.-H & K. Fee No. 6, 3150'N- 0 degrees 16' east and 2200'W of the SE corner, Sec. 1-19-10E.

West Carroll parish (wild cat field)-H. L. Hawkins & F. S. Kelly, Jr.-Marston-Herald No. 2, 1996'S-660'W of the NE corners, Sec. 15-19-10E.

Catahoula parish (wild cat field)-E. C. Wentworth-Beltzhoover No. A-1, from the southeast corner of Sec. 36, run north 660', thence run west for 645' to location, Sec. 36-6-5E.

Concordia parish (Horseshoe field)-D. E. Vasser-Rose Oil Co.-Vasser & Brown-B. D. King et al No. 3, 2366, 'S-1452'W of the NE corner, Sec. 1-6-7E. (Milestone Forks field) - Durbin Bond & Co. & Petersne Pet. Corp.-H. A. Turner No. 5, from the NW corner of Sec. 19, go SE along the line between Sec. 19 and 20 for 2252', thence SW at right angles for 1241', Sec. 20-8-10E.

Richland parish (Big Creek field)—J. A. Harper Co.-W. H. Lee No. 1, 280'N-of the south line, 330'W of the east line of the S½ of the NE¼ of the NE¼, Sec. 33-17-8E.

Tensas parish (wild cat field)-Southern Nat'l Gas Co.-Philip Watson, No. 1, 790' south, 990'E of the NW corners, Sec. 28-10-11E. (Holly Ridge field)-Union Producing Co. (UPC)-Ogden No. 1, 1978'B-652'E of the SW corner, Sec. 16-11-10E.

Union parish (Monroe field)-La. Gas. Prod. Co.-Hay et al No. 1, 330'N-990'E of the SW corner of the NW¼, Sec. 8-19-3E.

River Stages

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stage stage change

Stations:			
MISSISSIPPI			
St. Louis	30	0.1	0.1 Fall
Memphis	34	2.1	0.1 Fall
Helena	44	7.2	0.1 Rise
Arkansas City	42	3.1	0.1 Rise
Vicksburg	43	0.7	0.3 Fall
Natchez	48	s6.0	0.4 Fall
Red Rvr. Ldng.	45		
Baton Rouge	35	4.5	0.2 Fall
Donaldsonville	28	3.0	0.5 Fall
New Orleans	17	1.0	0.4 Fall
ATCHAFALAYA			
Morgan City	6	2.1	0.6 Fall
OUACHITA			
Camden	26s	11.9	0.9 Fall
Monroe	40z	14.4	0.0
BLACK			
Jonesville	50s	10.9	0.7 Rise
OHIO			
Pittsburgh	25z	16.7	0.0
Cincinnati	52	19.8	2.5 Rise
Cairo	40	14.7	0.0
ARKANSAS			
Little Rock	23	-1.1	0.0
RED			
Shreveport	39	10.7	0.5 Rise
Alexandria	32	1.6	2.2 Rise

s-Stage yesterday morning.
z-Pool stage.



EMERGENCY PLANS LAID—Lt. Jim Daniel (left) and Capt. M. E. Kidd (seated), state police officers who serve on the District F Civil Defense staff and Russell Prior, ex-Indiana state trooper who serves with the federal Civil Defense Administration headquarters in Battle Creek, Mich., look over plans for emergency police operations in the Monroe area. The state police officers and Prior assisted in the holding of a Civil Defense traffic school for law enforcement officers of the Northeast Louisiana area last June.



AFTER RE-ENLISTING in the Army for three years, Pfc. Icy D. Kendrick (left) of Ruston, La., is congratulated at Camp Tokyo, Japan, by Capt. Russel A. Bergman, commanding officer, Station Complement, Tokyo Ordnance Depot. Private First Class Kendrick, an electrician with the 8160th Army Unit, entered the Army in April, 1953, completed basic training at Camp Chaffee, Ark., and arrived in the Far East last April. He is the son of Arnett L. Kendrick, Route 2. (U. S. Army photo.)

3 New Buildings To Be Constructed At Northwestern

NATCHITOCHES, Dec. 18 (Special) — A master plan for the construction of three new buildings and improvement of the library at Northwestern State College, involving a total cost of $1,700,000 was announced here by President John S. Kyser.

Dormitories for men and women and a biological science building are included in the college building program, along with expansion of the Northwestern library.

Northwestern's original allocation for new buildings and equipment was $1,000,000, but the state board of education recently authorized the college to make application for a loan of $700,000 in order to more nearly meet the expanding needs of the institution.

According to President Kyser, one of the first on the list of projects is the construction of a dormitory for men students at a cost of $525,000 and which would house 254 students. Plans call for this new edifice to be two storied and "Y" shaped. It will be located on the hill south of the men's gymnasium on the NSC campus, and overlooking Chaplin's Lake.

A dormitory for women, to house 150 students, is proposed, and will cost approximately $350,000.

Library expansion is estimated to cost around $275,000.

A new biological science building, to cost around $325,000, will be constructed, Dr. Kyser stated.

Equipment and utility lines for all four of these four projects has been estimated at $225,000, he added.



COMMANDER — Captain Eugene A. Barham, above, of Oak Ridge, will assume the post of commander at Dam Neck base in Virginia. He has previously been commander of the destroyer division 262 which has been operating with the sixth fleet in the Mediterranean since September. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Barham, of Oak Ridge.

Army Sergeant Kills 40 Pound Bobcat

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 (Special)—Technical Sergeant John T. Thompson, of Foules, who is home on furlough, killed a forty pound bobcat near Black river Thursday afternoon.

Sergeant Thompson said that he came upon the big cat and another one fighting near the Black river in Concordia parish. He shot them both, wounding one which escaped and killing the big one.

Restoration Work To Begin Shortly

FERRIDAY, Dec. 18 (Special)—Construction work in Concordia parish including 114,000 cubic yards of earthwork and the restoration of approximately 170 stations of levee on the left bank of Red River in this parish will begin within twenty days.

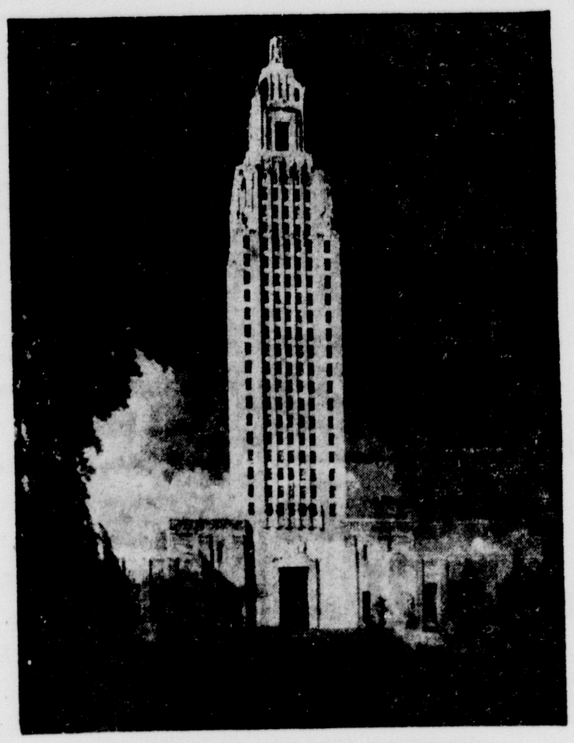
Col. Thomas B. Simpson, district engineer of the Vicksburg, Miss., district announced that the apparent low bidder for the work is Fred E. Freund, of Monroe, La. The amount of the bid was $40,-430.00.

There were seven bidders on the contract, two of whom were from Memphis, Tenn., one from Jackson, Miss., one from Monroe, the apparent low bidder — one from Pineville, and one from Markville, La. The work in the vicinity of the Bayou Cocodrie Draining structure is a part of the Bayou Cocodrie Levee Enlargement and Restoration Work.

COOK MONUMENT REPAIRED

KAILUA, Hawaii (AP) — The British frigate HMS Morecambe Bay made its first visit recently to Hawaii and the crew spent two days at Kealakekua Bay where they repaired the monument for Captain Cook, discoverer of the Hawaiian islands.

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Buck White Leads Twin City Open Meet With 145

Ray Hill, Lionel Hebert Tied For Second With 146

Buck White, Greenwood, Miss., pro, took a one-stroke lead at the two-thirds mark of the Twin City Open yesterday, adding a 75 to his first round 70 for a total of 145, one stroke better than Ray Hill, Dallas, and Lionel Hebert, New York, who had 146's.

High winds, sleet and cold again played havoc with scores, and Lebron Harris' 73 was low for the day.

Buster Cupit, Longview, Tex.; John Stahl, Vicksburg; and Frank Clark, Lafayette, all tied for third with 147's.

Amateurs Johnny Myers and Bobby Ledbetter notched identical scores again yesterday to give them each 155.

Today's round marks the final day of play, and with course and weather conditions as they have been the past two days, it is still difficult to pick a favorite.

Tom Burke Jr., who shot an ace and a low score of 70 Friday, took a triple bogey on the no. five hole and a double bogey on the ninth, to add eight strokes to his first day round. Buster Reed, another Texan who had a 70 Friday, had a bad day in the wind, and finished with an 81, for a 151 total.

The leaders:

Buck White, 70-75—145
Lionel Hebert 70-76—146
Ray Hill, 71-75—146
Buster Cupit, 71-76—147
John Stahl, 71-76—147
Frank Clark, 73-74—147
Tommy Burke, Jr., 70-78—148
Frank Chance, 72-77—149
Jay Hebert, 74-75—149
Jack Mann, 73-77—150
Buster Reed, 70-81—151
Lebron Harris, 78-73—151
Jim Coleman, 74-78—152
Milo Mattison, 76-76—152
Jackie Doss, 77-75—152
Henry Castillo, 76-77—153
L. V. Dukes, 77-76—153
Joe Walser, 78-75—153
Buddy Weaver, 78-77—155
Johnny Myers, 77-78—155
Bobby Ledbetter, 77-78—155
Gerald Kesselring, 76-80—156
Al Balding, 80-76—156
Leonard Warren, 76-81—157
Bobby Goetz, 81-76—157
Mike Barbatto, 80-78—158
Dave Bearse 78-81—159
Jackie Rivers, 81-78—159

Today's pairings:

9 a.m. Bill King, Benny House, Paul Cook

9:10 Ken Bartlett, Fred Browning, Tony Danna

9:20 Ed Pohlman, Jim Simmons, Dick Watkins

9:30 A. C. Williams, Ray Buce

10 a.m. Al Gallagher, Doe Bennett, Hilton Heard

10:10 E. J. Miller, Brice Pirtle, O. L. McCleary

10:20 Cotton Hill, James Harris, Jock Duchet

10:30 Bob Crowe, Joe Andron, Loy Heard

10:40 Mike Barbatto, Dave Bearse, Jim Green

10:50 Bill Hamilton, Leonard Warren, Buddy Sprague

11 a.m. Al Balding, Gerald Kesselring, Eddie Merrins

10:10 Henry Costillo, Buddy Weaver, Clyde Nash

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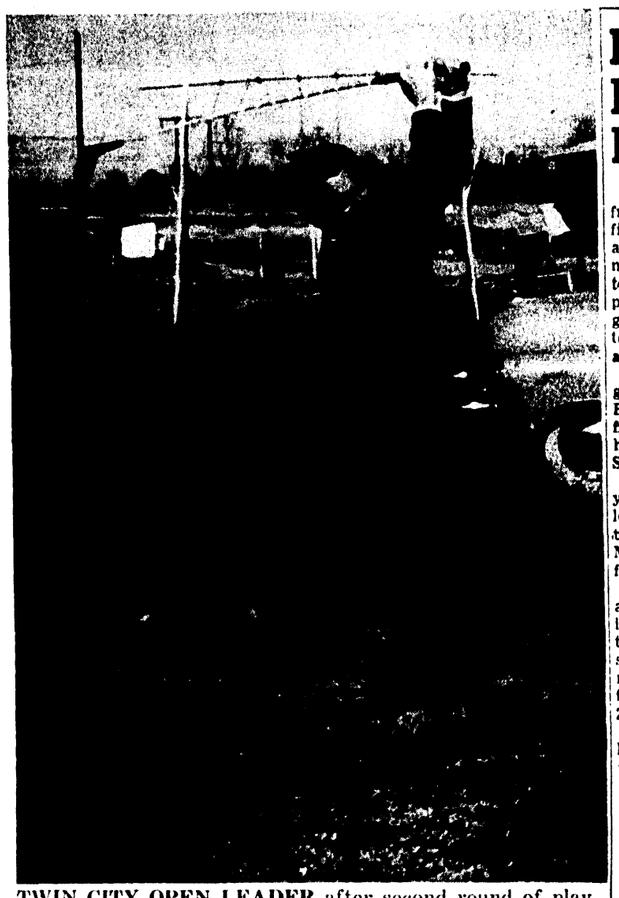
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Villanova 80, St. Bonaventure 64
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Detroit 83, Houston 80
Geneva 73, Washington and Jefferson 68
Mississippi College 69, Howard 67
Virginia 92, South Carolina 82

Mississippi 11 Prevented From Scrimmage Sat.

OXFORD, Miss., Dec. 18 (AP) — Snow knocked out Mississippi football scrimmaging today for its Jan. 1 Sugar Bowl date with Navy in New Orleans.

But the break didn't bother Coach Johnny Vaught. In fact, after four good days of practice, Vaught told his men they were getting more days of Christmas leave.

Trentonian Wins Golden Gate Race

ALBANY, Calif., Dec. 18 (AP) — The favored Calumet Farms' Trentonian outdistanced eight other outstanding 2-year-olds today to win the $34,930 Golden Gate Futurity at Golden Gate Fields.

Speed Rouser Wins Yuletide At Fairgrounds

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18 (AP) — Sped Rouser, S. G. Babbitz's bay colt, took his second win of the Fair Grounds race track season today when he finished first in the $5,000 Yuletide Handicap.

The three-year-old raced the five and a half furlongs in 107 and one fifth.

A length behind Speed Rouser was Porterville who placed two and a half lengths in front of Flat Side.

Speed Rouser paid $6, $3.40 and $3. Portersville returned $4 and $3.20, while Flat Side paid $4.

SWIMMERS ARRIVE

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., Dec. 18 (AP) — Coaches and athletes from the United States, Mexico, Cuba and Panama began arriving here today for the two-week meeting of the College Swimming Coaches of America starting Monday.

Boll Weevils Defeat Northeast Five, 84-73

CROSSETT, Ark., Dec. 18 (Special) —The Arkansas A and M Boll Weevils defeated the Northeast State cagers here tonight, 84-73, after overcoming an Indian lead late in the second period.

The Tribe was unable to close the gap in the second half, after trailing at intermission, 38-35. The closest they came during the third and fourth stanzas was five points.

Mel Gibson, with 18 markers, led the Northeast scorers; while Bill Bradley was close behind with 17.

For the Weevils, who only outscored the Tribe at the free throw line, Ragland was high, with 28; and Lassiter was second, with 24.

Box score:

Northeast	FG	FT	PF	TP
Crowe, f.	4	3	3	11
Crocker, f.	2	0	2	4
Bradley, c.	7	3	4	17
Jordan, f.	1	2	2	4
Betz, f.	1	1	1	1
Miles, c.	2	0	1	4
Gibson, g.	7	4	5	18
Patterson, g.	1	0	1	2
Willis, g.	1	3	3	5
Augstin, g.	2	0	3	4
Henderson, g.	1	0	1	2
Robinson, g.	1	0	0	2
Ford, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals,	29	15	25	73
Arkansas A. and M.	**FG**	**FT**	**PF**	**TP**
Ragland, f.	12	4	2	28
Goodwin, f.	0	0	1	0
Ford, c.	2	0	5	4
Lassiter, c.	8	8	0	24
Thurman, g.	4	9	4	17
Schisler, g.	3	5	1	11
Jordan, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals,	29	26	13	84

America's Davis Cup Squad Moves To Aussie Match

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 19 (AP) —America's victory flushed tennis forces moved into metropolitan Sydney today with a convincing 5-0 rout of Sweden behind them and with their captain predicting "we will win the Davis Cup this year."

Non-playing captain Bill Talbert made his forecast in a news conference at Brisbane Milton Court yesterday after watching Tony Trabert and Ham Richardson score one-sided mop-up singles victories.

"I only hope we at Forrest Hills will be able to be as good hosts when you return to try to get the cup next September," Talbert told the gathering of Australian writers with a sly wink.

Later at the annual Davis Cup dinner at a little Brisbane cafe, Sir Norman Brookes, longtime president of the LTAA, warned Australians they are in for a bitter cup battle here Dec. 27-29.

"Vic Seixas and Tony Trabert are at their mental and physical peak," Sir Norman said. "The only difficulty the Americans have is that Hamilton Richardson is playing well enough to challenge both of them for the singles berth."

Trabert, serving and volleying with his old-time power, brushed Sweden's Lennart Bergelin off the court 6-2, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2.

Then young Richardson, substituting for Seixas, quickly trounced Sven Davidson, 6-0, 6-3, 6-3.

Davidson played without his heart in the match but Richardson, nevertheless, gave a brilliant all-court display which stamped him as a definite possibility for the singles should either one of America's top ranking aces go sour at the last minute.

Besselink Still Ahead In Havana Golf Tournament

HAVANA, Dec. 18 (AP) — Al Besselink of Grossinger, N.Y., mastering a hand injury which has plagued him all year, today fired a 68 for a 54-hole total of 202 and a three stroke lead in the $15,000 Havana Invitation and Pro-Amateur Golf Tournament.

The 30-year-old Besselink used a new grip which he adopted after injuring his right hand and it enabled him to master the par 72 Havana Country Club course. He had a 33 on the outward nine and 35 coming home.

Tommy Bolt, the explosive Houston, Tex., shotmaker and Shelley Mayfield of Chicopee, Mass., the first round co-leaders, were deadlocked for second behind Besselink. They each had 70's.

The Leaders:

Al Besselink, Grossinger, N. Y., 67-67-68—202
Tommy Bolt, Houston, 65-70-70—205
Shelley Mayfield, Chicope, Mass., 65-70-70—205
Ed Furgol, Clayton, Mo., 66-71-69—206
Walter Burkemo, Franklin, Mich., 67-68-71—206
Skip Flexander, St. Petersburg, Fla., 66-69-71—206
Doug Ford, Kiamesha Lake, N.Y., 70-65-72—207
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Dutch Harrison, St. Louis, 70-69-68—210
Bob Roseberg, San Francisco, 68-69-73—210
Bo Wininger, Oklahoma City, 69-68-73—210
Mike Souchak, Durham, N.C., 69-73-69—211
Marty Furgol, Houston, 73-71-67—211
Herman Barron, White Plains, N. Y., 69-70-72—211
Claude Harmon, Mamaroneck, N.Y., 70-71-71—212

Brodnax On 2nd Team In Triple A All-State Poll

By JAMES SAGGUS
The Associated Press

A dazzling backfield and a rangy line—that's the 1954 Associated Press all-state football team selected from the ranks of Louisiana's triple-A prep powers.

Every man in the backfield accounted for more than 1,000 yards and 100 points. Every man in the line was versatile and stood out both on offense and defense.

It adds up to a team that would make even the most particular college talent scout lapse into four-syllable superlatives.

Richard Gay, a powerful 175-pounder from Byrd, heads the backfield, elected by a unanimous vote of the Louisiana Associated Press Sports Writers Association.

Gay scored 17 touchdowns and smashed through opposition lines for 1,279 yards. He blocked four punt from his defensive backfield post and intercepted five passes.

Halfback Earl Schneider of Holy Cross supplies the tricky speed. The flashy sprinter gained 1,230 yards on only 86 carries and led state triple-A scorers with 126 points in the regular season. Tailback Warren Rabb of Baton Rouge averaged 5.1 yards a carry and scored 72 points. He completed 78 of 175 passes for 1,438 yards and 16 touchdowns and was a terrific blocker.

Claude Mason, who sparked Lake Charles to the state title, gained 1,035 yards and scored 102 points.

At ends are Billy Bundrick of Byrd and Gaynell Kinchen of Baton Rouge. Both are top-notch pass receivers and outstanding on defense. Bundrick, who intercepted four passes during the season, scored the amazing total of 78 points. Kinchen has caught nine touchdown passes.

Dan Egan, a 205 - pound senior from Warren Easton, and Allen Stough, a 175-pound senior from Lake Charles, are at tackles. The guards are John Fort of Baton Rouge, a 189-pounder, and John Feazel of Fair Park, who weighs 195. Vincent Guttuso, a 205-pounder from Holy Cross, is at center. They combine to form a speedy line, capable of ranging over all the field.

The second team is almost as impressive.

Don Norwood of Baton Rouge and Bob Pickering of Lafayette are at ends; Marvin Cavallino of Holy Cross and Hulon Walters of Istrouma at tackles, Clyde Tharp of Sulphur and Al Ecuyer of Jesuit at guards, J. P. Averette of Istrouma at center and Billy Cannon of Istrouma, J. W. Brodnax of Bastrop, Stan Catoire of Warren Easton and Charles Cooper of Holy Cross in the backfield.

Ecuyer was a first team guard last year, when Jesuit won the state title. Absent from either team was end David Painter of Lake Charles, who was on the first team last year. Russ Carroll of Jesuit, the other first team guard last season, also failed to make it this time.

Here is the first team:

Pos.	Name	Age
E	Bill Bundrick	16
E	Gaynell Kinchen	16
T	Dan Egan	17
T	Allen Stough	18
G	John Fort	17
G	John Feazel	17
C	Vincent Guttuso	17
B	Richard Gay	18
B	Warren Rabb	17
B	Earl Schneider	18
B	Claude Mason	17

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178	6:00	Jr.	Byrd
173	6:03	Jr.	Baton Rouge
205	6:02	Sr.	Warren Easton
170	5:10	Sr.	Lake Charles
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150	5:09	Sr.	Holy Cross
160	5:10	Sr.	Lake Charles

Second Team

Ends: Don Norwood, 172, junior, Baton Rouge, and Bob Pickering, 165, senior, Lafayette.

Tackles: Hulon Walters, 218, senior, Istrouma, and Marvin Cavallino, 202, senior, Holy Cross.

Guards: Al Ecuyer, 183, senior, Jesuit, and Clyde Tharp, 180, junior, Sulphur.

Center: J. P. Averette, 168, senior, Istrouma.

Backs: J. W. Brodnax, 188, senior, Bastrop; Charles Cooper, 180, senior, Holy Cross; Stanley Catoire, 170, junior, Warren Easton; and Billy Cannon, 180, junior, Istrouma.

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High winds, sleet and cold again played havoc with scores, and Lebron Harris' 73 was low for the day.

Buster Cupit, Longview, Tex.; John Stahl, Vicksburg; and Frank Clark, Lafayette, all tied for third with 147's.

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Today's round marks the final day of play, and with course and weather conditions as they have been the past two days, it is still difficult to pick a favorite.

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Parris Island Marines 125, The Citadel 55
Wayne 68, Western Ontario 61
Kansas 100, Rice 72
Wake Forest 95, Texas 71
Arkansas State Tchrs 79, Union U. 75
Iowa 71, Princeton 52
Purdue 82, Butler 54
Nebraska 93, Bradley 68
Maryland 70, North Carolina 60
Yeshiva 69, Brooklyn College 64
Bridgeport 91, Brooklyn Poly 88
Georgia Tech 74, Sewanee 57
Villanova 80, St. Bonaventure 64
Illinois 66, Notre Dame 57
Detroit 83, Houston 80
Geneva 73, Washington and Jefferson 68
Mississippi College 69, Howard 67
Virginia 92, South Carolina 82



'BUD' ALL-STAR BOWLS — Don Carter of the Budweiser All-Star bowling team from St. Louis, Mo., is shown in masterful form last night as he "rolled one" toward the pins in the stars' second appearance before Monroe fans yesterday, gathered at the Monroe Bowling Center. In the background watching Carter (left to right) are John Savage and Al Knipping of the local Budweiser team and Ray Bluth, a teammate of Carter.

Mississippi 11 Prevented From Scrimmage Sat.

OXFORD, Miss., Dec. 18 (AP) — Snow knocked out Mississippi football scrimmaging today for its Jan. 1 Sugar Bowl date with Navy in New Orleans.

But the break didn't bother Coach Johnny Vaught. In fact, after four good days of practice, Vaught told his men they were getting more days of Christmas leave.

Trentonian Wins Golden Gate Race

ALBANY, Calif., Dec. 18 (AP) — The favored Calumet Farms' Trentonian outdistanced eight other outstanding 2-year-olds today to win the $34,930 Golden Gate Futurity at Golden Gate Fields.

Speed Rouser Wins Yuletide At Fairgrounds

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18 (AP) — Sped Rouser, S. G. Babbitz's bay colt, took his second win of the Fair Grounds race track season today when he finished first in the $5,000 Yuletide Handicap.

The three-year-old raced the five and a half furlongs in 107 and one fifth.

A length behind Speed Rouser was Porterville who placed two and a half lengths in front of Flat Side.

Speed Rouser paid $6, $3.40 and $3. Portersville returned $4 and $3.20, while Flat Side paid $4.

SWIMMERS ARRIVE

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., Dec. 18 (AP) — Coaches and athletes from the United States, Mexico, Cuba and Panama began arriving here today for the two-week meeting of the College Swimming Coaches of America starting Monday.

Boll Weevils Defeat Northeast Five, 84-73

CROSSETT, Ark., Dec. 18 (Special) —The Arkansas A and M Boll Weevils defeated the Northeast State cagers here tonight, 84-73, after overcoming an Indian lead late in the second period.

The Tribe was unable to close the gap in the second half, after trailing at intermission, 38-35. The closest they came during the third and fourth stanzas was five points.

Mel Gibson, with 18 markers, led the Northeast scorers; while Bill Bradley was close behind with 17.

For the Weevils, who only outscored the Tribe at the free throw line, Ragland was high, with 28; and Lassiter was second, with 24.

Box score:

Northeast	FG	FT	PF	TP
Crowe, f.	4	3	3	11
Crocker, f.	2	0	2	4
Bradley, c.	7	3	4	17
Jordan, f.	1	2	2	4
Betz, f.	1	1	1	1
Miles, c.	2	0	1	4
Gibson, g.	7	4	5	18
Patterson, g.	1	0	1	2
Willis, g.	1	3	3	5
Augstin, g.	2	0	3	4
Henderson, g.	1	0	1	2
Robinson, g.	1	0	0	2
Ford, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals,	29	15	25	73
Arkansas A. and M.	**FG**	**FT**	**PF**	**TP**
Ragland, f.	12	4	2	28
Goodwin, f.	0	0	1	0
Ford, c.	2	0	5	4
Lassiter, c.	8	8	0	24
Thurman, g.	4	9	4	17
Schisler, g.	3	5	1	11
Jordan, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals,	29	26	13	84

America's Davis Cup Squad Moves To Aussie Match

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 19 (AP) —America's victory flushed tennis forces moved into metropolitan Sydney today with a convincing 5-0 rout of Sweden behind them and with their captain predicting "we will win the Davis Cup this year."

Non-playing captain Bill Talbert made his forecast in a news conference at Brisbane Milton Court yesterday after watching Tony Trabert and Ham Richardson score one-sided mop-up singles victories.

"I only hope we at Forrest Hills will be able to be as good hosts when you return to try to get the cup next September," Talbert told the gathering of Australian writers with a sly wink.

Later at the annual Davis Cup dinner at a little Brisbane cafe, Sir Norman Brookes, longtime president of the LTAA, warned Australians they are in for a bitter cup battle here Dec. 27-29.

"Vic Seixas and Tony Trabert are at their mental and physical peak," Sir Norman said. "The only difficulty the Americans have is that Hamilton Richardson is playing well enough to challenge both of them for the singles berth."

Trabert, serving and volleying with his old-time power, brushed Sweden's Lennart Bergelin off the court 6-2, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2.

Then young Richardson, substituting for Seixas, quickly trounced Sven Davidson, 6-0, 6-3, 6-3.

Davidson played without his heart in the match but Richardson, nevertheless, gave a brilliant all-court display which stamped him as a definite possibility for the singles should either one of America's top ranking aces go sour at the last minute.

Besselink Still Ahead In Havana Golf Tournament

HAVANA, Dec. 18 (AP) — Al Besselink of Grossinger, N.Y., mastering a hand injury which has plagued him all year, today fired a 68 for a 54-hole total of 202 and a three stroke lead in the $15,000 Havana Invitation and Pro-Amateur Golf Tournament.

The 30-year-old Besselink used a new grip which he adopted after injuring his right hand and it enabled him to master the par 72 Havana Country Club course. He had a 33 on the outward nine and 35 coming home.

Tommy Bolt, the explosive Houston, Tex., shotmaker and Shelley Mayfield of Chicopee, Mass., the first round co-leaders, were deadlocked for second behind Besselink. They each had 70's.

The Leaders:

Al Besselink, Grossinger, N. Y., 67 67-68—202
Tommy Bolt, Houston, 65-70-70—205
Shelley Mayfield, Chicope, Mass., 65-70-70—205
Ed Furgol, Clayton, Mo., 66-71-69—206
Walter Burkemo, Franklin, Mich., 67-68-71—206
Skip Tlexander, St. Petersburg, Fla., 66-69-71—206
Doug Ford, Kiamesha Lake, N.Y., 70-65-72—207
Ed Oliver, Palm Springs, Calif., 71-69-68—208
Pete Fleming, St. Andrews, Ill., 69-71-68—208
Jim Turnesa, Lemsford, N.Y., 68-70-71—209
Dutch Harrison, St. Louis, 70-69-68—210
Bob Roseberg, San Francisco, 68-69-73—210
Bo Wininger, Oklahoma City, 69-68-73—210
Mike Souchak, Durham, N.C., 69-73-69—211
Marty Furgol, Houston, 73-71-67—211
Herman Barron, White Plains, N. Y., 69-70-72—211
Claude Harmon, Mamaroneck, N.Y., 70-71-71—212

Brodnax On 2nd Team In Triple A All-State Poll

By JAMES SAGGUS
The Associated Press

A dazzling backfield and a rangy line—that's the 1954 Associated Press all-state football team selected from the ranks of Louisiana's triple-A prep powers.

Every man in the backfield accounted for more than 1,000 yards and 100 points. Every man in the line was versatile and stood out both on offense and defense.

It adds up to a team that would make even the most particular college talent scout lapse into four-syllable superlatives.

Richard Gay, a powerful 175-pounder from Byrd, heads the backfield, elected by a unanimous vote of the Louisiana Associated Press Sports Writers Association.

Gay scored 17 touchdowns and smashed through opposition lines for 1,279 yards. He blocked four punt from his defensive backfield post and intercepted five passes.

Halfback Earl Schneider of Holy Cross supplies the tricky speed. The flashy sprinter gained 1,230 yards on only 86 carries and led state triple-A scorers with 126 points in the regular season. Tailback Warren Rabb of Baton Rouge averaged 5.1 yards a carry and scored 72 points. He completed 78 of 175 passes for 1,438 yards and 16 touchdowns and was a terrific blocker.

Claude Mason, who sparked Lake Charles to the state title, gained 1,035 yards and scored 102 points.

At ends are Billy Bundrick of Byrd and Gaynell Kinchen of Baton Rouge. Both are top-notch pass receivers and outstanding on defense. Bundrick, who intercepted four passes during the season, scored the amazing total of 78 points. Kinchen has caught nine touchdown passes.

Dan Egan, a 205 - pound senior from Warren Easton, and Allen Stough, a 175-pound senior from Lake Charles, are at tackles. The guards are John Fort of Baton Rouge, a 189-pounder, and John Feazel of Fair Park, who weighs 195. Vincent Guttuso, a 205-pounder from Holy Cross, is at center. They combine to form a speedy line, capable of ranging over all the field.

The second team is almost as impressive.

Don Norwood of Baton Rouge and Bob Pickering of Lafayette are at ends; Marvin Cavallino of Holy Cross and Hulon Walters of Istrouma at tackles, Clyde Tharp of Sulphur and Al Ecuyer of Jesuit at guards, J. P. Averette of Istrouma at center and Billy Cannon of Istrouma, J. W. Brodnax of Bastrop, Stan Catoire of Warren Easton and Charles Cooper of Holy Cross in the backfield.

Ecuyer was a first team guard last year, when Jesuit won the state title. Absent from either team was end David Painter of Lake Charles, who was on the first team last year. Russ Carroll of Jesuit, the other first team guard last season, also failed to make it this time.

Here is the first team:

Pos.	Name	Age	Wt.	Ht.	Class	School
E	Bill Bundrick	16	178	6:00	Jr.	Byrd
E	Gaynell Kinchen	16	173	6:03	Jr.	Baton Rouge
T	Dan Egan	17	205	6:02	Sr.	Warren Easton
T	Allen Stough	18	170	5:10	Sr.	Lake Charles
G	John Fort	17	170	5:10	Sr.	Baton Rouge
G	John Feazel	17	195	5:10	Sr.	Fair Park
C	Vincent Guttuso	17	205	6:02	Sr.	Holy Cross
B	Richard Gay	18	175	6:01	Sr.	Byrd
B	Warren Rabb	17	168	6:00	Jr.	Baton Rouge
B	Earl Schneider	18	150	5:09	Sr.	Holy Cross
B	Claude Mason	17	160	5:10	Sr.	Lake Charles

Second Team

Ends: Don Norwood, 172, junior, Baton Rouge, and Bob Pickering, 165, senior, Lafayette.

Tackles: Hulon Walters, 218, senior, Istrouma, and Marvin Cavallino, 202, senior, Holy Cross.

Guards: Al Ecuyer, 183, senior, Jesuit, and Clyde Tharp, 180, junior, Sulphur.

Center: J. P. Averette, 168, senior, Istrouma.

Backs: J. W. Brodnax, 188, senior, Bastrop; Charles Cooper, 180, senior, Holy Cross; Stanley Catoire, 170, junior, Warren Easton; and Billy Cannon, 180, junior, Istrouma.

Honorable Mention

Ends: Bill Massey, Fair Park; Tommy Murphy, St. Aloysius; Joe DiGiovanni, Holy Cross; David Painter, Lake Charles; Sherwood White, Bastrop; John Tannehill, Ouachita; Charles Saucier, Byrd; Bill Loftin, Bastrop; and Roy Deutschmann, Holy Cross.

Tackles: Richard Pyburn and Paul Hawley, Byrd; Cecil Rhodes, Fair Park; Tommy Batchelor, Haynesville; Tom Nolan, Catholic; Claude Johnson, Sulphur; Kenneth Wheeler, Ouachita; Marlin Moore, West Monroe; Jack Traylor and James Brister, Bastrop; Bob Bennefield, Haynesville; Ted Foret, St. Aloysius; Erroll Linden, De La Salle; Richard Brown, Jesuit; and Leon Dauterieve, Holy Cross.

Guards: Buddy Juneau, Bolton; Al Reeder, Holy Cross; Tommy McIntosh, Byrd; Emile Fournet, Bogalusa; Bobby Catton, Nicholls; Pat O'Dowd, De La Salle; Jim Gingrass, Warren Easton; Alton Johnson and John Crow, Bastrop; Don Parker, Fair Park; Richard Watson, West Monroe; and T. L. Fuller, Ouachita.

Centers: Ronnie Ross, Fair Park; Sterling Dupont, Terrebonne; Daryl Fairchild, Lake Charles; Glynn Russell, Ouachita; Bill Carter, Bastrop; Lamar McInnis, Burd; Bill Goree, Haynesville; Clestin Savoie, Redemptorist, and Ben Clayton, Warren Easton.

Backs: Bob McGough, Bastrop; Don Kazan, Baton Rouge; Merle Schexnaildre and Allen Hebert, Terrebonne; Rene Lorio, De La Salle; Jimmy LaCava, St. Aloysius; Walter Kelly, De La Salle; Richard Petitbon, Jesuit; Leo Dunham, Fortier; John Storment and Ronnie Johnston, Bastrop; Frank Pernici and Bobby Ellis, Byrd; Rodney Shaw and Don Nichols, Haynesville; Ike McMullen, Ouachita; Jimmy Norton and Howard Reynolds, Fair Park; Phil Nugent, Lafayette; Russell Stratton, LaGrange; Wayne Bourgeois, Sulphur; Lester Woods, Bolton; Carlton Sweeney, Lake Charles, and Harry Eaton, Jennings.

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Navy, traditionally with service teams, will lend the magic color of its uniformed Midshipmen in great numbers for the first Middie appearance in a bowl game since Jan. 1, 1924.

That's the day when Navy tied Washington, 14-14, in the Rose Bowl.

Navy had an 8-2 season this year, losing 6-0 to Notre Dame and 21-19 to Pittsburgh.

Mississippi, playing its second Sugar Bowl game in three years, racked up a 9-1 mark, losing only to Arkansas, Southwestern Conference champ, 6-0. The Rebels lost, 24-7, to Georgia Tech in the 1953 Sugar Bowl.

The football game is the highlight of a weeklong sports schedule, including boxing, tennis, basketball, track and a regatta.

The Sugar Bowl activities open Tuesday, Dec. 28, when the boxing teams of Maryland and the defending champion, Louisiana State University, meet at the City Auditorium.

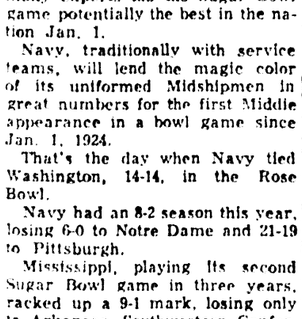
The tennis tournament, featuring 16 outstanding United States and foreign stars, opens also Tuesday and runs through Thursday.

Wednesday night the host Loyola of the South meets Notre Dame while defending champion Holy Cross plays Bradley in the Sugar Bowl basketball tournament at the Loyola Field House.

The track meet, featuring Wes Santee, former University of Kansas star, against crack field in the international mile, will be held Friday at City Park Stadium. Santee won the mile last year in 4:04.2, the third fastest mile ever run by an American up to that time.

The regatta will be held on Friday and Sunday, with a one-day lapse for the football game on Saturday.

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NORTHEAST STATE WINNERS — Capturing the championship in the Northeast volleyball tournament just completed is the group above which saw stiff competition during the intramural playoff. Front row, left to right includes Mildred Roberson, Verda Hardy, Betty Fuller, captain, Melba Hill and Juanita Carpenter. Seen in the second row, from left are Sybil Perkins, Billy Jean Head, Mary Katherine Cartlidge, Nora Lee Smith and Jo Ann Buswell. (Northeast State Photo by Bobby Oden.)

3 Curtises Wrestle Tues.

Jack and George Curtis, the renowned tag wrestling team, will be joined by a third member of the Curtis family Tuesday night at Gus Kallio's Arena, when 19-year-old Jack, Jr. joins them to make a three-man tag team. The Curtis trio will take on "Wild Bill" Steddum and two unknown Texans, "Mr. X" and "Mr. X No. 2."

Three, instead of the usual two preliminaries will precede the main event, and each will have a ten-minute time limit, with one fall necessary for a win. All matches will be officiated by West Monroe garageman Bill Barney.

Jack Curtis, Jr. is a 200-pound husky, and is at present serving in the Army Air Force at Wichita Falls, Tex. According to Promoter Kallio, young Jack looks exactly as Jack, Sr. did at that age, and although nothing is reported as to his wrestling ability, the fact remains that he is a Curtis, and big. That should speak for itself.

Jack, Sr. and brother George wrestled the Steddum duo last Tuesday night, but with a third member on each team, the match this week may be entirely different.



JACK'S SON, (above) Jack Curtis, Jr., 19-year-old, 200-pound husky who sides with his father and Uncle George in a six-man relay wrestling feature at Kallio's Arena Tuesday night. "Wild Bill" Steddum and two unknowns, "Mr. X" and "Mr. X No. 2" furnish the opposition.

Northwestern 5 Trounces Tulane By 77-63 Count

EVANSTON, Ill., Dec. 18 (AP) — Hal Grant whipped in 26 points and Frank Ehmann added 22 to hub a well balanced Northwestern attack today that smothered Tulane for its first defeat, 77-63, in a nationally-televised basketball game.

The loss was Tulane's first after three straight victories. The fast-breaking, backboard - controlling Northwestern team took its second triumph in three starts.

Led by Grant and Ehmann, who each scored 14 points in the first half, Northwestern piled up a 25-9 margin in the first eight minutes and was ahead 47-28 at intermission. Roy Stoll was Tulane's only real scoring star, pumping in 14 points in the first half, but being held to five in the last section.

The closest Tulane came after the Wildcats punctured its zone defense in the opening minutes, was 26-22 in a rally led by playmaker Hal Cervini and a pair of baskets by Jim Nowakowski.

But Northwestern soon pulled far ahead behind the shooting of Ehmann, Grant and Walt Stoeppelwerth, who tallied 16 points for the game.

Stoll, Dick Brennan and Dean Tyner combined for a brief Tulane surge in the last half that pulled the Green Wave up to 11 points at 58-47. But six minutes elapsed before Tulane could hit another field goal, although counting from the foul line, and by that time Northwestern was sailing in front 67-50. Grant closed out his scoring in the final minutes by wheeling in three straight baskets.

TULANE	G	F	P	T
Tyner, f	2	3	1	7
Brennan, f	1	6	5	8
Stumpf, f	0	0	3	0
Nowakowski, c	2	4	4	8
Wallace, c	3	0	2	6
Stoll, g	8	3	2	19
Delpit, g	2	1	1	5
Cervini, g	3	4	1	10
Totals	21	21	22	63

NORTHWESTERN	G	F	P	T
Ehmann, f	8	6	4	22
Grant, f	12	2	4	26
Duhart, f	0	0	3	0
Hussey, f	1	0	1	2
Stillwell, f	1	0	0	2
Schulz, C	1	1	1	3
Bromberg, c	0	0	0	0
Stoeppelwerth, g	4	8	5	16
Uebele, g	0	0	0	0
Mast, g	2	2	1	6
Totals	29	19	19	77

Halftime score: Northwestern 47, Tulane 28.

Free throws missed: Tulane-Cervini 3, Delpit, Stoll, Nowakowski 2, Stumpf, 2, Brennan 2, Tyner; Northwestern - Stoeppelwerth 2, Schulz 2, Duhart, Grant 6, Ehmann 5.

Minden Raps Algiers, 14-0; Win State Crown

By BILL McINTYRE
Shreveport Times Sports Writer

MINDEN, Dec. 17 — An 83-yard drive, a 41 - yard punt return and the knee-pumping fury of fullback Jerry Frazier gave Minden High School a 14-0 victory over Martin Behrman of Algiers here tonight and brought the 1954 class AA title into this football-happy town.

The Crimson Tide's thumping victory marked the first time in 16 years that Minden could boast a champion and the 6,000 plus onlookers wouldn't let the Tide's greatest moment pass untouched.

Frazier and quarterback Jimmy McCabe, the backfields double-barreled offensive punch fell in step behind terrific blocking up front and smacked into paydirt for those two deciding scores. Frazier, 199 pounds, walloped lustily at the left side of the Behrman line all through that 83 yard drive in the first quarter and he climaxed the push with a two-yarder over left guard.

McCabe's contribution came early in the fourth quarter when he took a Behrman punt at the Bee 41 and tip toed along the west side lines behind a vanguard of Redshirts. McCabe's 41-yard payoff scamper came as an anti-climax to a 72-yard drive is the third period which wasn't stopped until it reached the Behrman one inch line.

End Cliff Taylor, who was snagging passes which should have been incompletions, converted after both scores and Minden had its first state crown since 1938.

Milwaukee Baseball Writers Fete Quinn

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 18 (AP)— The Milwaukee chapter of the Baseball Writers Association announced tonight it will honor general Manager John Quinn of the Braves at its second annual diamond dinner Jan. 10.

Quinn, at 46 one of the youngest executives in Major League baseball, will be presented with the chapter's second annual award for meritorious service to baseball. Quinn has been general manager of the Braves since 1946 and is credited generally with developing the club's farm system which is rated one of the best in the Major Leagues.

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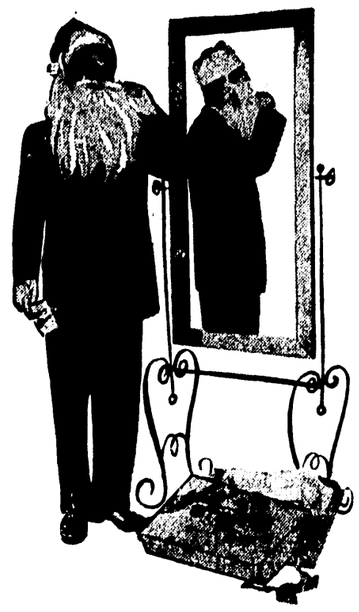
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Navy, traditionally with service teams, will lend the magic color of its uniformed Midshipmen in great numbers for the first Middie appearance in a bowl game since Jan. 1, 1924.

That's the day when Navy tied Washington, 14-14, in the Rose Bowl.

Navy had an 8-2 season this year, losing 6-0 to Notre Dame and 21-19 to Pittsburgh.

Mississippi, playing its second Sugar Bowl game in three years, racked up a 9-1 mark, losing only to Arkansas, Southwestern Conference champ, 6-0. The Rebels lost, 24-7, to Georgia Tech in the 1953 Sugar Bowl.

The football game is the highlight of a weeklong sports schedule, including boxing, tennis, basketball, track and a regatta.

The Sugar Bowl activities open Tuesday, Dec. 28, when the boxing teams of Maryland and the defending champion, Louisiana State University, meet at the City Auditorium.

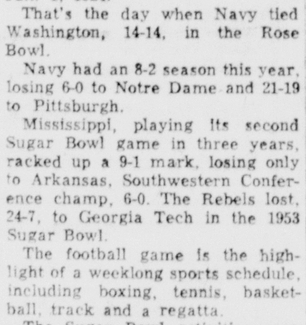
The tennis tournament, featuring 16 outstanding United States and foreign stars, opens also Tuesday and runs through Thursday.

Wednesday night the host Loyola of the South meets Notre Dame while defending champion Holy Cross plays Bradley in the Sugar Bowl basketball tournament at the Loyola Field House.

The track meet, featuring Wes Santee, former University of Kansas star, against crack field in the international mile, will be held Friday at City Park Stadium. Santee won the mile last year in 4:04.2, the third fastest mile ever run by an American up to that time.

The regatta will be held on Friday and Sunday, with a one-day lapse for the football game on Saturday.

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NORTHEAST STATE WINNERS — Capturing the championship in the Northeast volleyball tournament just completed is the group above which saw stiff competition during the intramural playoff. Front row, left to right includes Mildred Roberson, Verda Hardy, Betty Fuller, captain, Melba Hill and Juanita Carpenter. Seen in the second row, from left are Sybil Perkins, Billy Jean Head, Mary Katherine Cartlidge, Nora Lee Smith and Jo Ann Buswell. (Northeast State Photo by Bobby Oden.)

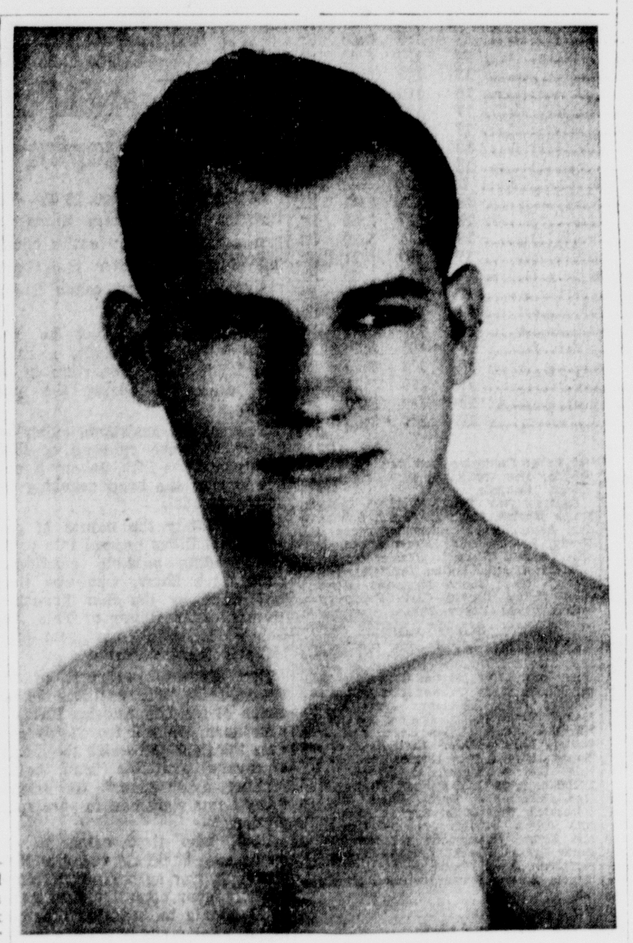
3 Curtises Wrestle Tues.

Jack and George Curtis, the renowned tag wrestling team, will be joined by a third member of the Curtis family Tuesday night at Gus Kallio's Arena, when 19-year-old Jack, Jr. joins them to make a three-man tag team. The Curtis trio will take on "Wild Bill" Steddum and two unknown Texans, "Mr. X" and "Mr. X No. 2."

Three, instead of the usual two preliminaries will precede the main event, and each will have a ten-minute time limit, with one fall necessary for a win. All matches will be officiated by West Monroe garageman Bill Barney.

Jack Curtis, Jr. is a 200-pound husky, and is at present serving in the Army Air Force at Wichita Falls, Tex. According to Promoter Kallio, young Jack looks exactly as Jack, Sr. did at that age, and although nothing is reported as to his wrestling ability, the fact remains that he is a Curtis, and big. That should speak for itself.

Jack, Sr. and brother George wrestled the Steddum duo last Tuesday night, but with a third member on each team, the match this week may be entirely different.



JACK'S SON, (above) Jack Curtis, Jr., 19-year-old, 200-pound husky who sides with his father and Uncle George in a six-man relay wrestling feature at Kallio's Arena Tuesday night. "Wild Bill" Steddum and two unknowns, "Mr. X" and "Mr. X No. 2" furnish the opposition.

Northwestern 5 Trounces Tulane By 77-63 Count

EVANSTON, Ill., Dec. 18 (AP) — Hal Grant whipped in 26 points and Frank Ehmann added 22 to hub a well-balanced Northwestern attack today that smothered Tulane for its first defeat, 77-63, in a nationally-televised basketball game.

The loss was Tulane's first after three straight victories. The fast-breaking, backboard - controlling Northwestern team took its second triumph in three starts.

Led by Grant and Ehmann, who each scored 14 points in the first half, Northwestern piled up a 25-9 margin in the first eight minutes and was ahead 47-28 at intermission. Roy Stoll was Tulane's only real scoring star, pumping in 14 points in the first half, but being held to five in the last section.

The closest Tulane came after the Wildcats punctured its zone defense in the opening minutes, was 26-22 in a rally led by playmaker Hal Cervini and a pair of baskets by Jim Nowakowski.

But Northwestern soon pulled far ahead behind the shooting of Ehmann, Grant and Walt Stoeppelwerth, who tallied 16 points for the game.

Stoll, Dick Brennan and Dean Tyner combined for a brief Tulane surge in the last half that pulled the Green Wave up to 11 points at 58-47. But six minutes elapsed before Tulane could hit another field goal, although counting from the foul line, and by that time Northwestern was sailing in front 67-50. Grant closed out his scoring in the final minutes by wheeling in three straight baskets.

TULANE	G	F	P	T
Tyner, f	2	3	4	7
Brennan, f	1	6	5	8
Stumpf, f	0	0	3	0
Nowakowski, c	2	4	4	8
Wallace, c	3	0	2	6
Stoll, g	8	3	2	19
Delpit, g	2	1	1	5
Cervini, g	3	4	1	10
Totals	21	21	22	63
NORTHWESTERN	G	F	P	T
Ehmann, f	8	6	4	22
Grant, f	12	2	4	26
Duhart, f	0	0	3	0
Hussey, f	1	0	1	2
Stillwell, f	1	0	0	2
Schulz, C	1	1	1	3
Bromberg, c	0	0	0	0
Stoeppelwerth, g	4	8	5	16
Uebele, g	0	0	0	0
Mast, g	2	2	1	6
Totals	29	19	19	77

Halftime score: Northwestern 47, Tulane 28.

Free throws missed: Tulane-Cervini 3, Delpit, Stoll, Nowakowski 2, Stumpf, 2, Brennan 2, Tyner; Northwestern - Stoeppelwerth 2, Schulz 2, Duhart, Grant 6, Ehmann 5.

Minden Raps Algiers, 14-0; Win State Crown

By BILL McINTYRE
Shreveport Times Sports Writer

MINDEN, Dec. 17 — An 83-yard drive, a 41 - yard punt return and the knee-pumping fury of fullback Jerry Frazier gave Minden High School a 14-0 victory over Martin Behrman of Algiers here tonight and brought the 1954 class AA title into this football-happy town.

The Crimson Tide's thumping victory marked the first time in 16 years that Minden could boast a champion and the 6,000 plus onlookers wouldn't let the Tide's greatest moment pass untouched.

Frazier and quarterback Jimmy McCabe, the backfields double-barreled offensive punch fell in step behind terrific blocking up front and smacked into paydirt for those two deciding scores. Frasier, 190 pounds, walloped lustily at the left side of the Behrman line all through that 8-3 yard drive in the first quarter and he climaxed the push with a two-yarder over left guard.

McCabe's contribution came early in the fourth quarter when he took a Behrman punt at the Bee 41 and tip toed along the west side lines behind a vanguard of Redshirts. McCabe's 41-yard payoff scamper came as an anti-climax to a 72-yard drive is the third period which wasn't stopped until it reached the Behrman one inch line.

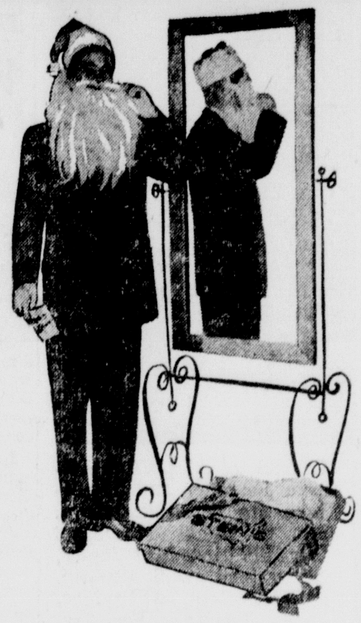
End Cliff Taylor, who was snagging passes which should have been incompletions, converted after both scores and Minden had its first state crown since 1938.

Milwaukee Baseball Writers Fete Quinn

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 18 (AP)— The Milwaukee chapter of the Baseball Writers Association announced tonight it will honor general Manager John Quinn of the Braves at its second annual diamond dinner Jan. 10.

Quinn, at 46 one of the youngest executives in Major League baseball, will be presented with the chapter's second annual award for meritorious service to baseball. Quinn has been general manager of the Braves since 1946 and is credited generally with developing the club's farm system which is rated one of the best in the Major Leagues.

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Local Districts Dominate A And B All-State 11's







CLASS 'A' ALL-STATERS from Ferriday and Winnsboro are pictured (above, left to right) Ferriday's Guy Hill, back; Max Fugler, center; and Frank Brocato, guard. Bottom, left to right, James Joplin, Ferriday, tackle; and Billy McGraw, Winnsboro, tackle. Also named to the mythical eleven was Rayville's Keith Amos, back, not pictured.





Ferriday's Four On A, Winnsboro, Rayville 1

By JAMES SAGGUS

Thirteen schools placed players on the Associated Press 1954 class A all-state football team, a 22-man squad selected by the Louisiana AP Sports Writers Assn. and announced today.

The schools, scattered throughout the state, included those with undefeated seasons and those with poor records.

The line was composed of big palyers with speed to range all over the field.

The ends were Gayne Marshand of Gonzales, Bob Anderson of Marion, Arthur Doyle of Oakdale and Jim Foret of Kenner. At tackles were Mack Douzat of Marksville, Billy McGraw of Winnsboro, James Joplin of Ferriday and Linden Bercegeay of Gonzales.

In the middle were Frank Brocato of Ferriday, Jim and Julius Mire, twin brothers of Slidell and Jim Duet of Jefferson at guards and Max Fugler of Ferriday and Francis Thibodeaux of Assumption at center.

McGraw and Joplin are the heavyweights at 205, but both top six feet in height. Most of the players range between 175 and 190.

The backfield has an impressive record.

It includes Guy Hill of Ferriday, Roy Brazil of Jefferson, Ray Freisner of West Lake, Hart Burque of Gonzales, Don Fritchie of Slidell, Joe Ravira of Marksville, Keith Amos of Rayville and Ralph Davis of Baker.

Fritchie scored 121 points and racked up 1,192 yards on 109 rushing attempts. Burque carried 111 times for 798 yards and 110 points. Davis carried 91 times for 889 yards and 89 point. Friesner was the West Lake passing ace. In only four conference games, he completed 20 passes for seven touchdowns. Amos led the Rayville offense with 85 points. Hill carried 103 times for 1,004 yards and 115 points and was a defensive whiz. Ravira, on a poor team, managed 409 yards on only 49 attempts. Brazil was the power runner which made a mediocre Jefferson team dangerous.

Amos was the team lightweight at 140. Most of the backs ranged between 160 and 170 pounds—ample for power and speed.

Ferriday, which met Gonzales for the state class A title last night, put four players on the team. Gonzales tock three spots.

Pos.	Name	School	Age	Wt.	Ht.	Class
E	Gayne Marchand	Gonzales	17	175	6:00	Sr.
E	Bob Anderson	Marion	18	160	6:00	Sr.
E	Arthur Doyle	Oakdale	18	170	6:01	Sr.
E	Jim Foret	Kenner	16	170	6:02	Sr.
T	Mack Douzat	Marksville	17	185	6:00	Sr.
T	Billy McGraw	Winnsboro	17	205	6:01	Jr.
T	James Joplin	Ferriday	18	205	6:00	Sr.
T	Linden Borcegeay	Gonzales	18	185	5:11	Sr.
G	Frank Brocato	Ferriday	16	180	5:10	Sph.
G	Jim Mire	Slidell	18	185	5:11	Sr.
G	Julius Mire	Slidell	18	190	6:00	Sr.
G	Jim Duet	Jefferson	18	190	5:10	Sr.
G	Max Fugler	Ferriday	17	190	5:11	Jr.
G	Francis Thibodeaux	Assumption	18	160	5:10	Sr.
B	Guy Hill	Ferriday	17	170	5:10	Jr.
B	Roy Brazil	Jefferson	18	175	6:00	Sr.
B	Ray Friesner	West Lake	16	171	5:11	Jr.
B	Hart Burque	Gonzales	16	165	5:10	Jr.
B	Don Fritchie	Slidell	18	163	6:00	Sr.
B	Joe Ravira	Marksville	17	170	5:11	Sr.
B	Keith Amos	Rayville	18	140	5:10	Sr.
B	Ralph Davis	Baker	17	165	5:09	Sr.

HONORABLE MENTION

Ends: Whitey Riser, Winnsboro; Leo Young, Ferriday; Sam Costanza, Independence; Billy Booth, Farmerville; Keith Pierce, Central; Freddie Sutherland, Redemptorist Baton Rouge; Malcolm Blackwell, Baker; Kenneth Mayo, Rayville; Harry Pankey, Ferriday; Donald Scaffe, Many; Pete Mitchell, Newman; Sonny Cognevich, Buras; George Fisher, Leesville; Wayne Bienvenu, St. Martinville; Hunter Bienvenu, St. Martinville; Guy Dommert, Port Barre.

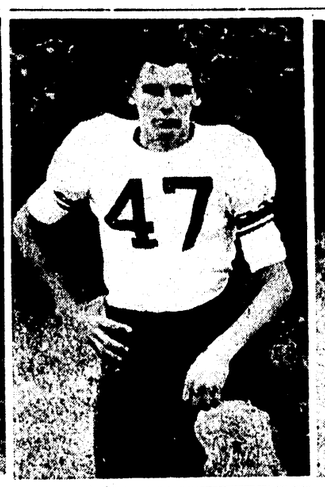
Tackles: Paul McElveen, Franklinton; Bert Heckel, Slidell; Jim Daddy, Newman; Clayton Marino, Buras; Melvin Hamilton, Plaquemine; Clyde Breaux, Franklin; Leon Roy, St. Peter's New Iberia; Jerry Skinner, Leesville; Randolpho Price, West Lake; Bernard Marcantel, Oakdale; John Bachr, Kenner; Billy DeSoto, Mansfield; David McCarty, Rayville; Neil Minor, Ferriday; Charles Jackson, St. Paul Covington.

Guards: Richard Roy, Bunkie; Ken Yoes, Baker; Gerald Boudreaux, Plaquemine; Manson Nelson, Ferriday; Jimmy Parker, Winnsboro; C. Thornton, Rayville; Tommy Milford, Farmerville; Billy Windsor, Homer; Floyd Frasier, Many; Ross Webb, Mansfield; Charles Doescher, Kenner; Vincent Savoie, Marion; Dan Racca, West Lake; Dauterive Rodrigue, St. Martinville; Ken Guillottee, Franklin; Robert Karan, Oakdale.

Centers: Ray Young, Denham Springs; Ralph Marino, Kenner; French Schexnayder, Assumption Napoleonville; Jerry Hill, Brady, LaSalle Olla; Merle Smith, Rayville, Gerald Dubroc, Bunkie.

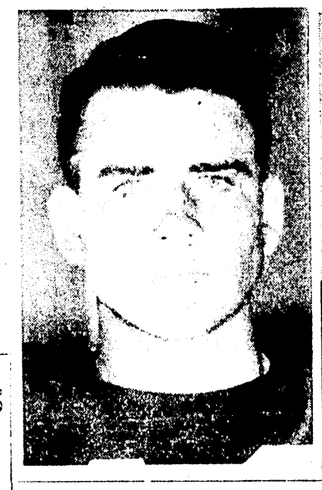
Backs; Charles Lofton, Oakdale; Conrad Wooly, Many; Mario Margiotta, Kenner; Allen Buras, Buras; Carlo Bentivegna, Independence; Bobby Dugas, Assumption; John Coburn, Leesville; Harles Smart, Leesville; Ray Nettles, Bunkie; Don Horton, Ferriday; James Mock, Winnsboro; Lynn Naylor, Tallulah; Danny Boutwell, Winnsboro; Huey Martin, Crowville; Tommy Purvis, Clyde Webster, Don Horton and Wilburn King, Ferriday; Jerry Brown, Many; Wayne Banks, Homer; Freddy delacerda, Many; Julian Keene and John Carter, LaSalle Olla; Levi Redden and Bobby Andrews, Farmerville; Joe Sout and Billy Lowrey, Mansfield; James Doyle, Tallulah; Irvin Ruhl Kenner; Charles Winfree, Oakdale; E. Buras, Buras; Charles Hambrick, West Lake; Ray Anderson, Marion Edwin Buford, Expedite Laperouse and Zerben Champagne, St. Martinville; Amar Lancon, Franklin; Bobby Dugas, Assumption; Durel Matherne, Lutcher; Tony Hagan, Amite; Bruce Bickham, Franklinton.

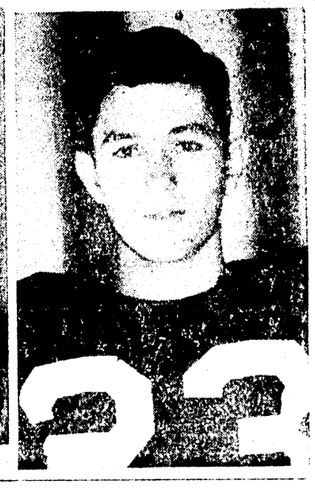






CLASS 'B' STARS are, (Left to right, above) B. K. Miller, back, Sicily Island; Albert Dampier, tackle, Sicily Island; and William Mount, guard, Sicily Island. Bottom, left to right, are Newellton's Buddy Emfinger, back; and Jerry Head, end. Not pictured are all-staters Farell Keahey, tackle, St. Joseph Davidson; and Delhi's end Eldon Tweedle, tackle Terry Hicks, and back Sonny Sumlin.





BOWLING

By CASEY JONES

CHURCH LEAGUE

The Standings.	Point
Covenant Presbyterian's	37
St. Paschals	36
First Prsbyterian's	29
St. Paul Methodist	26
First Methodist of W. M.	29
Memorial Prsbyterian's	0

St. Paschals tightened up the church league when they made a slean sweep of their four points with the league leaders Covenant Presbyterian's as Father Vitus was shooting a 191 game along with a 512 series to lead St. Paschals. Everett Lawson getting a 183 game and a 491 series was tops for Covenant Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian's bested First Methodist of West Monroe four points to none. As O. K. Davis was having a very good night getting a 513 series along with W. Bell's 198 game led the First Presbyterians. H. Kennedy useing a 148 game with a 403 series to lead West Monroe Methodist.

St. Paul Methodist stopped Memorial Presbyterian four points to none. Dr. Flinn posting a 191 game as J. Clay was getting a 482 series to lead St. Paul. Pearce, showing a 155 game, with 430 series, was tops for Memorial Presbyterian's.

High single game, W. Bell, First Presbyterian's; 198.

High series, O. K. Davis, First Presbyterian's; 513.

Teams high single game, St. Paschals; 773.

Teams high series, St. Paschals; 2,257.

BUSINESS WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Standings	Points
Skippers Ho-Made Cream	41½
Tony's Redwood Restaurant	38½
Ouachita National Bank	34
Negley Bag & Paper Co.	33
Falstaff Beer	26
Credit Bureau	25½
Aaron Stout Insurance	25
Public Loan Corp	20
Brown Container No. 7	19½
Delson's Shoes	16

Falstaff Beer handed Skippers Ho Made cream a jolt by taking their four points from the Skippers team. M. McAllister getting a 137 game along with a 359 series led Falstaff. With the Skipper herself shooting a nice game of 153 and a 374 series to lead her team.

Tony's Redwood Restaurant missed a wonderful chance to over take the league leaders but the Redwood girls dropped four points to Negley Bag and Paper Co. Betty Kutz shooting a 136 game with a 344 series for June Ferrington was Negleys leaders. Betty Heidner posting a 135 game and a 371 series was best for Tony's.

Credit Bureau swept four points from Delson's shoes as Evelyn Turley was showing a 137 game with a 359 series was best for the bureau girls. Little Dot Durham hitting a 129 game and a 360 series was best for Delsons.

Ouachita National Bank for the past few weeks have been making a come back for the number one spot, made a clean sweep of their four points with Aaron Stout's Insurance. Scottie Wood shooting a 139 game, with tiny Dottie Kulcke getting high series with a 373, were the banking girls leaders. Clarice Koontz showing a 152 game and a 380 series led the insurance girls.

Brown Container No. 7 and Public Loan Corp. split even in their four points at two each. Ponder throwing a 128 game, with a 371 series, led the Brown Container girls. Mickie Hulteen having a 117 game, and a 326 series, was best for Public Loan.

High single game, Skipper Perkins, Skippers Ho Made cream, 153

High series, Skipper Perkins, Skippers Ho Made Cream, 374

Teams high series, Falstaff Beer, 1,838

Teams high single game, Falstaff Beer, 644.

Pat Brady of the Pittsburgh Steelers won the punting championship of the National Football League in 1953 with an average of 46.9 yards per punt. He did not have a kick blocked the entire season.

As The Crow Flies, So May The Trojans

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 18 (AP) —"As the crow flies" describes a straight measure of distance but it may also indicate how far the Southern California Trojans will go in the Rose Bowl against Ohio State.

For Mr. Crow, first name Linden and occupation of the Trojans, plays a lot of right halfback, both on offense and defense, when he isn't hampered by injuries.

The fastest man on the squad, Crow suffered a bruised up knee in the losing effort against the UCLA Bruins and missed the Notre Dame game which the Irish took advantage of his absence to throw lots of stuff at the right side. The winning touchdown for Notre Dame a 72-yard pass, started in that direction.

So Trojan followers weren't happy to learn this week that their All-Conference back still has troubles with the knee. But there is hope he'll be set by game time New Year's Day.

"Ohio State isn't going to chase us anywhere," says coach Jess Hill "I'm not promising we'll win, but they'll know they've been in a ball game."

Hill and his Trojans aren't happy about getting into the bowl via the back door and have pointed for an upset over the Buckeyes, who is a better than a two-touchdown favorite. Two years ago the Trojans beat Wisconsin 7-0 for the only victory scored by the PCC since the pact with the midwesterners was signed in 1946.

Ohio State, undefeated and untied in nine games scored 220 points to 68 for opponents. The Trojans scored 251 against 139 winning eight and losing to TCU, Notre Dame and UCLA.

The Buckeyes have scheduled their first workout here Monday. Coach Woody Hayes said two key players, halfback Bob Watkins and fullback Hubert Bobo, still nurse leg injuries but are expected to be ready to go on New Year's Day.

Eleven workouts are slated by Ohio State here. Hayes said Ken Vargo, first string center before breaking his arm in the Illinois game will be ready to play. The same is true of end Dean Dimmer, who suffered a dislocated wrist in the Michigan game.

Bowl Schedule

Lineup of post-season football games, showing name of bowl, site, name of opponents, won-lost-tied records in parentheses, starting time, expected attendance and radio and TV arrangements:

(Times are Eastern Standard)

Dec. 25

North and South All-Stars, at Miami, Fla., 8:15 p.m., 45,000. No radio or TV arrangements.

Blue and Gray All-Stars at Birmingham, Ala., 3 p.m., 22,000. MBS radio, NBC television.

Dec. 31

Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla.: Auburn (7-3-0) vs. Baylor (7-3-0), 2 p.m., 31,000. MBS radio, no national television.

Jan. 1

Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif.: Ohio State (9-0-0) vs. Southern California (8-3-0), 5 p.m., 100,300. NBC radio and television.

Sugar Bowl at New Orleans, La.: Navy (7-2-0) vs. Mississippi (9-1-0), 2 p.m., 82,000. ABC radio and television.

Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla.: Nebraska (6-4-0) vs. Duke (7-2-1), 2 p.m., 68,000. CBS radio and television.

Cotton Bowl at Dallas, Tex.: Arkansas (8-2-0) vs. Georgia Tech (7-3-0), 2 p.m., 75,504. NBC radio and television.

Salad Bowl All-Stars at Phoenix, Ariz.: 1 p.m., 18,000. Radio and television plans not completed.

Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex.: Texas Western (7-3-0) vs. Florida State (8-3-0), 4:15 p.m., 14,500. No national radio or TV plans.

Tangerine Bowl at Orlando, Fla.: Omaha University (9-0-0) vs. Eastern Kentucky (8-1-0), 8 p.m., 13,500. No national radio or TV plans.

East and West All-Stars at San Francisco: 4:30 p.m., 60,000. Radio and TV plans to be completed.

Jan. 8

Senitor Bowl All-Stars at Mobile, Ala. 3 p.m., 30,000. CBS radio but TV plans not completed.

Senior Bowl II's Begin To Prepare For Dec. 25 Game

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 18 (AP) For the glory of the game—and the chance to perform before TV cameras 48 college seniors pulled into town today and started getting ready for the blue-gray gridiron show Christmas Day.

The expected presence of perhaps a dozen pro football scouts didn't dull the players' enthusiasm either as they got acquainted with their six coaches and went through the first workout.

In the 17 years since the all-star game was inaugurated in 1937, the contest has been witnessed only by those who could get to Montgomery's 22,000-seat Cramton Bowl.

Even with that limited audience, those who have performed here, including some of the nation's greatest football stars, have managed to exhibit a remarkable spirit in the pre-game practice sessions.

Head coaches this year—Missouri's Don Faurot for the North and Frank Moseley of Virginia Poly for the Rebels—agreed with the prospect of showing off their ability before a nationwide NBC television audience is a "big incentive" to the boys.

Faurot and Moseley both spoke of the potential striking power of their squads and, traditionally for football coaches, of the onslaught they expect from their opponents.

Without committing themselves to an unretreatable position they likewise promised a wide-open game with probable emphasis on passing.

Faurot said he is counting on two of his Missouri passing stars, Vic Eaton and Tony Scardino, No. 1 and No. 2 in the Big Seven this fall.

All five Yankee ends are fine pass receivers, the head coach explained, and so far the halfbacks, "so we ought to have plenty of boys to catch the ball."

Al Doggett of Louisiana State and Jerry Johnson of Texas Tech probably will shoulder most of the aerial burden for the Rebels, with Claude Harland of Texas Tech, Scott Jackson of Clemson and Tom Petty of VPI handling the ball on the receiving end.

Yankee visitors have won only four of the 15 previous games (one contest in the Blue-Gray series was a high school affair) and have been on the short end in their last six appearances here.

Faurot's coaching staff is made up of Rip Engle of Penn State and Hugh Daugherty of Michigan State.

Los Angeles Rams Begin Search For Pro Grid Mentor

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Immediately the names of several possibilities popped into print. The leading possible candidates were Buck Shaw, who was fired last week by the San Francisco 49ers; Jordan Olivar of Yale, and Bob Waterfield, former great quarterback for the Rams.

Dan Reeves, president of the Rams, said: "The position of head coach of the Los Angeles Rams is wide open. We will thoroughly canvass the field and weigh the merits of every available man before making a decision." He added: "Any name right now is pure speculation."

Pool, who first came to the Rams as a backfield coach in 1950, and took over as head coach from Joe Stydahar after the first game in 1952, said he made his decision to quit after many hours of thought.

He insisted that in view of mounting circumstances — he obviously referred to the trouble with his assistants and dissension in the playing ranks of the Rams —convinced him that he could not do a satisfactory coaching job next year.

He had no formal contract with the club, nor has he any definite plans for the future.

Pool, who intimated he hopes to continue coaching, had no commen on the general belief that there are other ailments to be cured on the club—such as player politics.

He did say that he believed the Rams should make a "complete fresh start" as far as a new coaching staff is concerned. It was pointed out that for years when one coaching regime came in, remnants of the old remained.

Pool was the fifth head coach for the Rams since they came to Los Angeles from Cleveland in 1946.

Shaw's departure from the 49ers after nine years stirred up tremendous controversy which is still geging on in San Francisco. He is well liked in Southern California but whether he would be interested in the Ram situation is anyone's guess.

Olivar, whose home is in Los Angeles, where he has an off-season insurance business, did not shut the door on a suggestion that he take the job. He has had unusual luck with the undermanned Yale squad for the past three years and has one more year to go on his contract.

Waterfield, who retired from active play two years ago, has maintained close contact with the club. Last summer he volunteered to help school the team in one of his own specialities, place kicking.

He is known as a profound student of football.

Hollywood, Anita Tracks Ahead Of New York 'Take'

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP) —The state racing commission conceded today that Hollywood and Santa Anita in California had succeeded New York tracks as "the big Apple" in purse distribution, and again recommended a reduction in the 15 per cent tax take-out in parimutuel betting.

In its annual report to secretary of state Thomas J. Curran, the commission said New York attendance was off 2.35 per cent and total wagering was down 2.98 per cent as compared with 1953. Attendance at Belmont, Jamaica, Saratoga and Aqueduct was 4,395,-646 and betting totalled $353,303,-510.

On the other hand, state revenue was $25,127,454, up 8 per cent over last year's total of $32,522,-749. The increase was due to a boost of the state's share of the parimutuel tax to 9 per cent, or 1 per cent more than in 1953.

Originally only 10 per cent was taken from the parimutuel pool. In 1916, however, the legislature boosted it to 15 per cent with the extra 5 per cent going to the municipality where racing was conducted—New York City, Nassau and Saratoga Counties. This was known as the "O'Dwyer Bite" because it was instituted by formet Mayor William O'Dwyer of New York.

The racing commission always contended this was unconstitutional and in 1950 the legislature provided the added tax should be taken from the municipalities at the rate of 15 per cent each year and given to the state.

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Local Districts Dominate A And B All-State 11's











CLASS 'A' ALL-STATERS from Ferriday and Winnsboro are pictured (above, left to right) Ferriday's Guy Hill, back; Max Fugler, center; and Frank Brocato, guard. Bottom, left to right, James Joplin, Ferriday, tackle; and Billy McGraw, Winnsboro, tackle. Also named to the mythical eleven was Rayville's Keith Amos, back, not pictured.

Ferriday's Four On A, Winnsboro, Rayville 1

By JAMES SAGGUS

Thirteen schools placed players on the Associated Press 1954 class A all-state football team, a 22-man squad selected by the Louisiana AP Sports Writers Assn. and announced today.

The schools, scattered throughout the state, included those with undefeated seasons and those with poor records.

The line was composed of big palyers with speed to range all over the field.

The ends were Gayne Marshand of Gonzales, Bob Anderson of Marion, Arthur Doyle of Oakdale and Jim Foret of Kenner. At tackles were Mack Douzat of Marksville, Billy McGraw of Winnsboro, James Joplin of Ferriday and Linden Bercegeay of Gonzales.

In the middle were Frank Brocato of Ferriday, Jim and Julius Mire, twin brothers of Slidell and Jim Duet of Jefferson at guards and Max Fugler of Ferriday and Francis Thibodeaux of Assumption at center.

McGraw and Joplin are the heavyweights at 205, but both top six feet in height. Most of the players range between 175 and 190.

The backfield has an impressive record.

It includes Guy Hill of Ferriday, Roy Brazil of Jefferson, Ray Freisner of West Lake, Hart Burque of Gonzales, Don Fritchie of Slidell, Joe Ravira of Marksville, Keith Amos of Rayville and Ralph Davis of Baker.

Fritchie scored 121 points and racked up 1,192 yards on 109 rushing attempts. Burque carried 111 times for 798 yards and 110 points. Davis carried 91 times for 889 yards and 89 point. Friesner was the West Lake passing ace. In only four conference games, he completed 20 passes for seven touchdowns. Amos led the Rayville offense with 85 points. Hill carried 103 times for 1,004 yards and 115 points and was a defensive whiz. Ravira, on a poor team, managed 409 yards on only 49 attempts. Brazil was the power runner which made a mediocre Jefferson team dangerous.

Amos was the team lightweight at 140. Most of the backs ranged between 160 and 170 pounds—ample for power and speed.

Ferriday, which met Gonzales for the state class A title last night, put four players on the team. Gonzales took three spots.

Pos.	Name	School	Age	Wt.	Ht.	Class
E	Gayne Marchand,	Gonzales	17	175	6:00	Sr.
E	Bob Anderson,	Marion	18	160	6:00	Sr.
E	Arthur Doyle,	Oakdale	18	170	6:01	Sr.
E	Jim Foret,	Kenner	16	170	6:02	Sr.
T	Mack Douzat,	Marksville	17	185	6:00	Sr.
T	Billy McGraw,	Winnsboro	17	205	6:01	Jr.
T	James Joplin,	Ferriday	18	205	6:00	Sr.
T	Linden Borcegeay,	Gonzales	18	185	5:11	Sr.
G	Frank Brocato,	Ferriday	16	180	5:10	Sph.
G	Jim Mire,	Slidell	18	185	5:11	Sr.
G	Julius Mire,	Slidell	18	190	6:00	Sr.
G	Jim Duet,	Jefferson	18	190	5:10	Sr.
G	Max Fugler,	Ferriday	17	190	5:11	Jr.
G	Francis Thibodeaux,	Assumption	18	160	5:10	Sr.
B	Guy Hill,	Ferriday	17	170	5:10	Jr.
B	Roy Brazil,	Jefferson	18	175	6:00	Sr.
B	Ray Friesner,	West Lake	16	171	5:11	Jr.
B	Hart Burque,	Gonzales	16	165	5:10	Jr.
B	Don Fritchie,	Slidell	18	183	6:00	Sr.
B	Joe Ravira,	Marksville	17	170	5:11	Sr.
B	Keith Amos,	Rayville	18	140	5:10	Sr.
B	Ralph Davis,	Baker	17	165	5:09	Sr.

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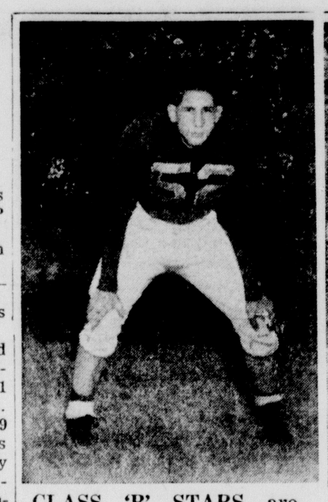
Ends: Whitey Riser, Winnsboro; Leo Young, Ferriday; Sam Costanza, Independence; Billy Booth, Farmerville; Keith Pierce, Central; Freddie Sutherland, Redemptorist Baton Rouge; Malcolm Blackwell, Baker; Kenneth Mayo, Rayville; Harry Pankey, Ferriday; Donald Scalfe, Many; Pete Mitchell, Newman; Sonny Cognevich, Buras; George Fisher, Leesville; Wayne Bienvenu, St. Martinville; Hunter Bienvenu, St. Martinville; Guy Dommert, Port Barre.

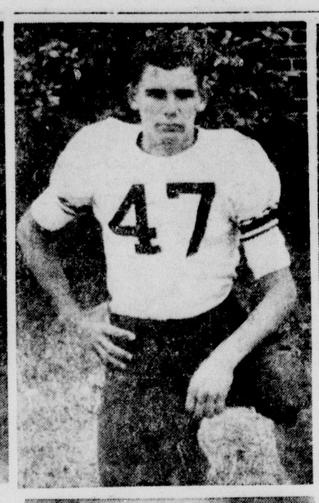
Tackles: Paul McElveen, Franklinton; Bert Heckel, Slidell; Jim Doddy, Newman; Clayton Marino, Buras; Melvin Hamilton, Plaquemine; Clyde Breaux, Franklin; Leon Roy, St. Peter's New Iberia; Jerry Skinner, Leesville; Randolpho Price, West Lake; Bernard Mercantel, Oakdale; John Baehr, Kenner; Billy DeSoto, Mansfield; David McCarty, Rayville; Nell Minor, Ferriday; Charles Jackson, St. Paul Covington.

Guards: Richard Roy, Bunkie; Ken Yoes, Baker; Gerald Boudreaux, Plaquemine; Manson Nelson, Ferriday; Jimmy Parker, Winnsboro; C. Thornton, Rayville; Tommy Milford, Farmerville; Billy Windsor, Homer; Floyd Frasier, Many; Ross Webb, Masfield; Charles Doesscher, Kenner; Vincent Savole, Marion; Dan Racca, West Lake; Dauterive Rodrigue, St. Martinville; Ken Guillottee, Franklin; Robert Karan, Oakdale.

Centers: Ray Young, Denham Springs; Ralph Marino, Kenner; French Schexnayder, Assumption Napoleoville; Jerry Hill, Brady, LaSalle Olla; Merle Smith, Rayville, Gerald Dubroc, Bunkie.

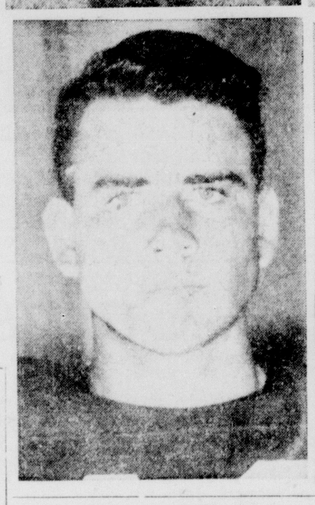
Backs; Charles Lofton, Oakdale; Conrad Wooly, Many; Mario Margiotta, Kenner; Allen Buras, Buras; Carlo Bentivegna, Independence; Bobby Dugas, Assumption; John Coburn, Leesville; Harles Smart, Leesville; Ray Nettles, Bunkie; Don Horton, Ferriday; James Mock, Winnsboro; Lynn Naylor, Tallulah; Danny Boutwell, Winnsboro; Huey Martin, Crowville; Tommy Purvis, Clyde Webster, Don Horton and Wilburn King, Ferriday; Jerry Brown, Many; Wayne Banks, Homer; Freddy deLacerda, Many; Julian Keene and John Carter, LaSalle Olla; Levi Redden and Bobby Andrews, Farmerville; Joe Sout and Billy Lowrey, Mansfield; James Doyle, Tallulah; Irvin Ruhl Kenner; Charles Winfree, Oakdale; E. Buras, Buras; Charles Hambrick, West Lake; Ray Anderson, Marion Edwin Buford, Expadie Laperouse and Zerben Champagne, St. Martinville; Amar Lancon, Franklin; Bobby Dugas, Assumption; Durel Matherne, Lutcher; Tony Hagan, Amite; Bruce Bickham, Franklinton.







CLASS 'B' STARS are, (Left to right, above) B. K. Miller, back, Sicily Island; Albert Dampier, tackle, Sicily Island; and William Mount, guard, Sicily Island. Bottom, left to right, are Newellton's Buddy Emfinger, back; and Jerry Head, end. Not pictured are all-staters Farell Keahey, tackle, St. Joseph Davidson; and Delhi's end Eldon Tweedle, tackle Terry Hicks, and back Sonny Sumlin.





BOWLING

By CASEY JONES

CHURCH LEAGUE

The Standings.	Point
Covenant Presbyterian's	37
St. Paschals	36
First Prsbyterian's	29
St. Paul Methodist	26
First Methodist of W. M.	20
Memorial Prsbyterian's	0

St. Paschals tightened up the church league when they made a slean sweep of their four points with the league leaders Covenant Presbyterian's as Father Vitus was shooting a 191 game along with a 542 series to lead St. Paschals. Everett Lawson getting a 183 game and a 491 series was tops for Covenant Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian's bested First Methodist of West Monroe four points to none. As O. K. Davis was having a very good night getting a 543 series along with W. Bell's 198 game led the First Presbyterians. H. Kennedy useing a 148 game with a 408 series to lead West Monroe Methodist.

St. Paul Methodist slopped Memorial Presbyterian four points to none. Dr. Flinn posting a 194 game as J. Clay was getting a 462 series to lead St. Paul. Pearce, showing a 155 game, witha 260 series, was tops for Memorial Presbyterian's.

High single game, W. Bell, First Presbyterian's; 198.

High series, O. K. Davis, First Presbyterian's; 543.

Teams high single game, St. Paschals; 773.

Teams high series, St. Paschals; 2,297.

BUSINESS WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Standings	Points
Skippers Ho-Made Cream	41½
Tony's Redwood Restaurant	38½
Ouachita National Bank	34
Negley Bag & Paper Co.	33
Falstaff Beer	26
Credit Bureau	25½
Aaron Stout Insurance	25
Public Loan Corp	20
Brown Container No. 7	19½
Delson's Shoes	16

Falstaff Beer handed Skippers Ho Made cream a jolt by taking their four points from the Skippers team. M. McAllister getting a 137 game along with a 359 series led Falstaff. With the Skipper herself shooting a nice game of 153 and a 374 series to lead her team.

Tony's Redwood Restaurant missed a wonderful chance to over take the league leaders but the Redwood girls dropped four points to Negley Bag and Paper Co. Betty Kutz shooting a 136 game with a 344 series for June Ferrington was Negleys leaders. Betty Heidner posting a 135 game and a 371 series was best for Tony's.

Credit Bureau swept four points from Delson's shoes as Evelyn Turley was showing a 137 game with a 359 series was best for the bureau girls. Little Dot Durham hitting a 129 game and a 369 series was best for Delsons.

Ouachita National Bank for the past few weeks have been making a come back for the number one spot, made a clean sweep of their four points with Aaron Stout's Insurance. Scottie Wood shooting a 139 game, with tiny Dottie Kulcke getting high series with a 373, were the banking girls leaders. Clarice Koontz showing a 152 game and a 380 series led the insurance girls.

Brown Container No. 7 and Public Loan Corp. split even in their four points at two each. Ponder throwing a 138 game, with a 371 series, led the Brown Container girls. Mickie Hulteen having a 117 game, and a 326 series, was best for Public Loan.

High single game, Skipper Perkins, Skippers Ho Made cream, 153

High series, Skipper Perkins, Skippers Ho Made Cream, 374

Teams high series, Falstaff Beer, 1,838

Teams high single game, Falstaff Beer, 644.

Pat Brady of the Pittsburgh Steelers won the punting championship or the National Football League in 1953 with an average of 46.9 yards per punt. He did not have a kick blocked the entire season.

As The Crow Flies, So May The Trojans

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 18 (AP)—"As the crow flies" describes a straight measure of distance but it may also indicate fow far the Southern California Trojans will go in the Rose Bowl against Ohio State.

For Mr. Crow, first name Lindon and co-captain of the Trojans, plays a lot of right halfback, both on offense and defense, when he isn't hampered by injuries.

The fastest man on the squad, Crow suffered a banged up knee in the losing effort against the UCLA Bruins and missed the Notre Dame game when the Irish took advantage of his absence to throw lots of stuff at the right side. The winning touchdown for Notre Dame a 72-yard jaunt, started in that direction.

So Trojan followers weren't happy to learn this week taht their All-Conference back still has troubles with the knee. But there is hope he'll be set by game time New Year's Day.

"Ohio State isn't going to chase us anywhere," says coach Jess Hill. "I'm not promising we'll win, but they'll know they've been in a ball game."

Hill and his Trojans aren't happy about getting into the bowl via the back door and have pointed for an upset over the Buckeyes, who rule better than a two-touchdown favorite. Two years ago the Trojans beat Wisconsin 7-0 for the only victory scored by the PCC since the pact with the midwesterners was signed in 1946.

Ohio State, undefeated and untied in nine games scored 229 points to 68 for opponents. The Trojans scored 251 against 139 winning eight and losing to TCU, Notre Dame and UCLA.

The Buckeyes have scheduled their first workout here Monday. Coach Woody Hayes said two key players, halfback Bob Watkins and fullback Hubert Bobo, still nurse leg injuries but are expected to be ready to go on New Year's Day.

Eleven workouts are slated by Ohio State here. Hayes said Ken Vargo, first string center before breaking his arm in the Illinois game, will be ready to play. The same is true of end Dean Dugger, who suffered a dislocated wrist in the Michigan game.

Bowl Schedule

Lineup of post-season football games, showing name of bowl, site, name of opponents, won-lost-tied records in 'parentheses, starting time, expected attendance and radio and TV arrangements:

(Times are Eastern Standard)

Dec. 25

North and South All-Stars, at Miami, 8:15 p.m., 45,000. No radio or TV arrangements.

Blue and Gray All-Stars at Birmingham, Ala. 3 p.m., 22,000. MBS radio, NBC television.

Dec. 31

Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla.: Auburn (7-3-0) vs. Baylor (7-3-0). 2 p.m., 34,000. MBS radio, no national television.

Jan. 1

Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif.: Ohio State (9-0-0) vs. Southern California (8-3-0). 5 p.m., 100,300. NBC radio and television.

Sugar Bowl at New Orleans, La.: Navy (7-2-0) vs. Mississippi (9-1-0). 2 p.m., 82,000. ABC radio and television.

Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla.: Nebraska (6-4-0) vs. Duke (7-2-1). 2 p.m., 68,000. CBS radio and television.

Cotton Bowl at Dallas, Tex.: Arkansas (8-2-0) vs. Georgia Tech (7-3-0) 2 p.m., 75,504. NBC radio and television.

Salad Bowl All-Stars at Phoenix, Ariz.: 1 p.m., 18,000. Radio and television plans not completed.

Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex.: Texas Western (7-3-0) vs. Florida State (8-3-0). 4:15 p.m., 14,500. No national radio or TV plans.

Tangerine Bowl at Orlando, Fla.: Omaha University (9-0-0) vs. Eastern Kentucky (8-1-0). 8 p.m., 13,500. No national radio or TV plans.

East and West All-Stars at San Francisco: 4:30 p.m., 60,000. Radio and TV plans to be completed.

Jan. 8

Senitor Bowl All-Stars at Mobile, Ala. 3 p.m., 30,000. CBS radio but TV plans not completed.

Senior Bowl 11's Begin To Prepare For Dec. 25 Game

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 18 (AP)—For the glory of the game—and the chance to perform before TV cameras—48 college seniors pulled into town today and started getting ready for the blue-gray gridiron show Christmas Day.

The expected presence of perhaps a dozen pro football scouts didn't dull the players' enthusiasm either as they got acquainted with their six coaches and went through the first workout.

In the 17 years since the all-star game was inaugurated in 1937, the contest has been witnessed only by those who could get to Montgomery's 22,000-seat Cramton Bowl.

Even with that limited audience, those who have performed here, including some of the nation's greatest football stars, have managed to catch a remarkable spirit in the pre-game practice sessions.

Rival head coaches this year—Missouri's Don Faurot for the North and Frank Moseley of Virginia Poly for the Rebels—agreed with the prospect of showing off their ability before a nationwide NBC television audience is a "big incentive" to the boys.

Faurot and Moseley both spoke of the potential striking power of their squads and, traditionally for football coaches, of the onslaught they expect from their opponents.

Without committing themselves to an unretreatable position they likewise promised a wide-open game with probable emphasis on passing.

Faurot said he is counting on two of his Missouri passing stars, Vic Eaton and Tony Scardino, No. 1 and No. 2 in the Big Seven this fall.

All five Yankee ends are fine pass receivers, the head coach explained, and so far the halfbacks, "so we ought to have plenty of boys to catch the ball."

Al Doggett of Louisiana State and Jerry Johnson of Texas Tech probably will shoulder most of the aerial burden for the Rebels, with Claude Harland of Texas Tech, Scott Jackson of Clemson and Tom Petty of VPI handling the ball on the receiving end.

Yankee visitors have won only four of the 15 previous games (one contest in the Blue-Gray series was a high school affair) and have been on the short end in their last six appearances here.

Faurot's coaching staff is made up of Rip Engle of Penn State and Hugh Daugherty of Michigan State.

LOUISIANA CLASS 'B' ALL-STATE

By The Associated Press

Here is the Associated Press' 1954 All-State team for Louisiana's Class B high schools.

Pos.	Name	School	Age	Wt.	Ht.	Class
E	Eldon Tweedle,	Delhi	18	150	5:11	Sr.
E	Jerry Don Head,	Newellton	16	165	6:00	Jr.
E	Wiley DeLoach,	Donaldsonville	17	175	6:01	Sr.
E	Dempsey Theriot,	Dutchtown	17	175	6:01	Sr.
T	Edgar Beene,	Oil City	18	220	5:10	Sr.
T	Farrell Keahey,	Davidson	17	180	5:11	Sr.
T	Terry Hicks,	Delhi	18	182	6:01	Sr.
T	Albert Dampier,	Sicily Island	16	190	6:01	Jr.
G	William Mount,	Sicily Island	18	160	5:11	Sr.
G	James Smith,	Logansport	18	180	6:02	Sr.
G	A. P. Brown,	Dutchtown	16	145	5:09	Jr.
G	Stan Lessard,	St. Amant	17	170	6:00	Sr.
C	Camille Bourg,	Holy Name	17	175	5:11	Sr.
C	Rupert Scott,	Wisner	17	185	6:00	Jr.
B	Huey O'Conner,	Holy Name	18	175	5:10	Sr.
B	C. J. Alexander,	Donaldsonville	18	190	6:00	Sr.
B	Earl Nolan,	Oil City	18	150	5:07	Sr.
B	George Sumlin,	Delhi	18	175	6:00	Sr.
B	B. K. Miller,	Sicily Island	16	150	5:08	Jr.
B	Hugh Emfinger,	Newellton	18	205	6:02	Sr.
B	Vernon Blanchard,	Breaux Bridge	17	170	5:10	Sr.
B	Bill Fadaol,	AIC Opelousas	17	160	5:10	Sr.

HONORABLE MENTION

Ends: Allen Hymel, St. James; Anthony Duplantis, Hanson; Carl Carodo, Mt. Carmel, Abbeville; Thomas Mandina, Oil City; James McKenzie, Cotton Valley; Huey Nelson, Sicily Island; J. W. Mercer, Mangham; Ernest Wal, Kentwood; Harold Capello, Donaldsonville; Nell Alford, Kentwood; Don McGehee, Waterproof; Don Chapman, Wisner; Jerry Griggs, Plain Dealing; J. E. Cagle, Oil City; John Williams, Holly Ridge; Joe Alford, Start; Bobby Byargeon, Vidalia; York Fietel, St. Martin's, New Orleans; Charles Newberry, Holy Name; Daniels, New Orleans Academy.

Tackles: Sam Hoggatt, Wisner; Malvin Sistrunk, Holly Ridge; Sam Crawford, Sicily Island; V. J. Zeringe, Raceland; James Gravois, CHS. Donaldsonville; Dennis Booty, Kentwood; Errol Parent, Dutchtown; Roger Phillipi, Sacred Heart, New Orleans; Douglas Fowler, Coushatta; Lonnie Lege, Mt. Carmel, Abbevie; Benny Mergist, Erath; Wiey Tilley Sarepta; John Sheppard, Cotton Valley; R. S. Smith, Waterproof; Ken O'Neal, Delhi; Carey Elder, Mangham; Gaynell Stokes, Holly Ridge; Clarence Stone, Newellton; Charley Blanchard, Holy Name; John Girault, St. Martin's; Nolan, Port Sulphur.

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Centers: Walter Knotts, Sicily Island; Herschel Morris, Delhi; Calvin Brand, Dutchtown; John Wood, St. James; Frank Pickard, Sarepta; Billy Johnson, Hanson; John Cox, Coushatta; Don Cathey, Arcadia; Fred Johnson, Cotton Valley; Floyd O'Quinn, Holly Ridge; J. B. Walker, Davidson; Tom Fruge, St. Matthew's; Wade Buquoi, Sacred Heart, New Orleans.

Backs: Tommy Fernandez, St. Charles Destrehan; Jim Migliaccio, Sacred Heart, New Orleans; A. J. Valenti, Sacred Heart, New Orleans; C. Capiello, Port Sulphur; Langsberg, New Orleans Academy; Mano, Belle Chasse; B. Capiello, Port Sulphur; Keesler, Country Day, New Orleans; R. Dike, Country Day; Jerry Eddy, Coushatta; Charles Phillips, Plain Dealing; Jerry Haynes, Sarepta; Jerry Slack, Cotton Valley; Judson Hale, Logansport; Wayne Bagley, Oil City; Eddie Cater, Plain Dealing; Phil McCrary and Bobby Perritt, Arcadia; Earl Humphrey, Cotton Valley; Dunk Canly, Rodessa; Gene Hughes, Haughton; Clyde Thompson and Tommy Mathieu, Delhi; Jack Ezell, Gilbert; Bobby Cupit, Sicily Island; Terry Von Head, Newellton; Roy O'Neal, Delhi; Bobby Wingate, Davidson; Roy Shiver, Wisner; Faye Thurman, Sicily Island; J. D. Stockstill, Waterproof; Philip Landry, Vidalia; Ralph Rayborn, Wisner; Thomas Moleware and Emmett Futch, Holly Ridge; Dale Hoover, Davidson; Ken McKay, Mangham; Jackie Henry, Start; Billy Joe Furr, Wisner; Calvin King and Vernon Jones, LTI; Jerry Tullos, Block; Charles Doyle, Newellton; Ralph Amadee, St. James; Otis LeCompte, St. Francis, Houma; Ronnie Sanchez, Catholic, Donaldsonville; Maurice Webre, Donaldsonville; Stanley Waguespack, St. John, Plaquemine; Ken Trant, Lockport; Dickie Breaux, Breaux Bridge; Charles Hidalgo, Hanson; Richard Landry, Mt. Carmel, Abbeville; Ernie Bullock, Kentwood; Lawrence Ritter, Zachary; Glen Mallory, Waterproof.

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Immediately the names of several possibilities popped into print. The leading possible candidates were Buck Shaw, who was fired last week by the San Francisco 49ers; Jordan Olivar of Yale, and Bob Waterfield, former great quarterback for the Rams.

Dan Reeves, president of the Rams, said: "The position of head coach of the Los Angeles Rams is wide open. We will thoroughly canvass the field and weigh the merits of every available man before making a decision." He added: "Any name right now is pure speculation."

Pool, who first came to the Rams as a backfield coach in 1950, and took over as head coach from Joe Stydahar after the first game in 1952, said he made his decision to quit after many hours of thought.

He insisted that in view of mounting circumstances — he obviously referred to the trouble with his assistants and dissension in the playing ranks of the Rams—convinced him that he could not do a satisfactory coaching job next year.

He had no formal contract with the club, nor has he any definite plans for the future.

Pool, who intimated he hopes to continue coaching, had no commen on the general belief that there are other ailments to be cured on the club—such as player politics.

He did say that he believed the Rams should make a "complete fresh start" as far as a new coaching staff is concerned. It was pointed out that for years when one coaching regime came in, remnants of the old remained.

Pool was the fifth head coach for the Rams since they came to Los Angeles from Cleveland in 1946.

Shaw's departure from the 49ers after nine years stirred up tremendous controversy which is still going on in San Francisco. He is well liked in Southern California but whether he would be interested in the Ram situation is anyone's guess.

Olivar, whose home is in Los Angeles, where he has an off-season insurance business, did not shut the door on a suggestion that he take the job. He has had unusual luck with the undermanned Yale squad for the past three years and has one more year to go on his contract.

Waterfield, who retired from active play two years ago, has maintained close contact with the club. Last summer he volunteered to help school the team in one of his own specialities, place kicking.

He is known as a profound student of football.

Hollywood, Anita Tracks Ahead Of New York 'Take'

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 (AP)—The state racing commission conceded today that Hollywood and Santa Anita in California had succeeded New York tracks as "the big Apple" in purse distribution, and again recommended a reduction in the 15 per cent tax take-out in parimutuel betting.

In its annual report to secretary of state Thomas J. Curran, the commission said New York attendance was off 2.35 per cent and total wagering was down 2.98 per cent as compared with 1953. Attendance at Belmont, Jamaica, Saratoga and Aqueduct was 4,395,846 and betting totalled $363,308,510.

On the other hand, state revenue was $35,127,454, up 8 per cent over last year's total of $32,522,749. The increase was due to a boost of the state's share of the parimutuel tax to 9 per cent, or 1 per cent more than in 1953. Originally only 10 per cent was taken from the parimutuel pool. In 1946, however, the legislature boosted it to 15 per cent with the extra 5 per cent going to the municipality where racing was conducted—New York City, Nassau and Saratoga Counties. This was known as the "O'Dwyer Bite" because it was instituted by former Mayor William O'Dwyer of New York.

The racing commission always contended this was unconstitutional and in 1950 the legislature provided the added tax should be taken from the municipalities at the rate of 15 per cent each year and given to the state.

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State Of Louisiana Now An Affluent 'Oil Baron'

CAPITOL CORRIDORS
By HUGH A. MULLIGAN

BATON ROUGE (AP)—One of the biggest oil barons in the state of Louisiana these days is the state of Louisiana, a lusty newcomer to the ranks of petroleum affluence.

We're talking about Louisiana as a business concern now, not as a taxing agency. There's a difference, and it's becoming more apparent every day in the state's treasury surplus.

Almost since the Jennings field blew in a few months after mighty Spindletop, oil has been one of the state's biggest revenue getters, thanks to severance taxes and healthy payrolls.

But only recently has the state become one of its own best customers. Louisiana the landlord shows signs of becoming as prosperous as Louisiana the tax collector.

The State Mineral Board, which acts as real estate agent, and the State Land Office, which acts as official landlord and rent dunner, are doing—of all things—a land office business.

More than 2,000 producing wells rear their lovely girdered heads on state owned lands and water bottoms, a record that few private land owners anywhere in the country can match.

So far this year, oil baron Louisiana has raked in nearly 75 million dollars from bonuses, royalties and rentals on state leases. The windfall has produced an 18 million dollar surplus in the general fund, offsetting losses in several major taxes and inspiring talk of a special session.

State budget officers and legislative fiscal committees, traditionally pessimistic, were unduly so when it came to predicting the value of Louisiana holdings for 1954. They missed the mark by 50 million dollars. But nobody's complaining.

Estimates were bound to be way off because nobody knew and few had any faith in the wealth of Louisiana's offshore holdings in the Gulf of Mexico, recently returned by Congress.

Even Gov. Robert Kennon, a rabid tidelands enthusiast, once lapsed morbid and prophesized the offshore dream would be "no more than a trickle."

Kennon went on fighting for the trickle anyhow and in calendar year 1954, which still has two weeks to go, it turned into a 45 million dollar gusher of bonuses, rentals and royalties.

Practically every time the mineral board met a new record was set for bonuses on a state lease. It got so reporters and board members alike yawned when a bid was under a million dollars.

The board is headed by John Olvey of Shreveport and composed mainly of veteran oilmen—fellow competitors who handle the state's business like it was their own and know the value of a soggy, marshy acre in the Gulf. They also like a check with plenty of zeros on it.

This was demonstrated recently when the board turned down a couple of quarter million and half million dollar bids as unsatisfactory, readvertised the offshore tracts in question and, at the next leasing, got itself a million or more check.

California Oil Co. astounded competing bidders by paying a record bonus of $5,265,000 on a 5,000-acre offshore tract.

But bonuses are only part of the picture. Since Jan. 1, the state has netted nearly six million dollars on offshore rentals and royalties, and inland bonuses, rentals and royalties have totaled more than 27½ million dollars.

State officials know that land and water for leasing won't be available forever, but royalties should keep on flowing long after the bonuses become history with the boom days.

Mrsm Ellen Bryan Moore, registrar of the State Land Office and a long-time believer in Louisiana's Gulfward future, thinks this is only the beginning.

"When drilling and production facilities get in full swing," she says, "we can look for huge production royalty checks to start flowing into the State Land Office and thence to the State Treasury.

No one yet has hazarded a guess what the bonanza will be like if the federal government approves Louisiana's claim to three leagues (10.5 miles) from the coastline instead of the present Department of Interior limit of three miles from shore.

The difference between the two southern boundary claims is something like 27 miles. How many millions will that mean in bonuses and royalties?

The answer may be found over the horizon where already 48 wells are in production on federal leases.

Manpower Chief Explains Theory Of UMT Proposal

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Pentagon's manpower chief said today that if the new reserve program is adopted it might be possible to meet military commitments at home and overseas even with the regular armed forces cut below three million men.

Asst. Secretary of Defense Carter Burgess told reporters that if by mid-1959 the size of the regular military services is down from the present 3,168,000 to "say 2,900,000," and the new program to create a reserve of up to five million trained men is in operation, there would be a "very sound base" for carrying out all defense obligations.

Burgess' mention of a possible 2,900,000 force by 1959 seemed to contrast with comments by Secretary Charles E. Wilson at a news conference yesterday. Wilson indicated the goal might be about 2,700,000—a reduction of 468,000 from present strength.

Burgess, in talking to newsmen today, said it "is a little hard to predict what strength will be by 1959." But he said that if the new reserve program is adopted, "You would be in better position to cut active forces."

The decision to trim military manpower appeared to have been made, even if definite figures were not decided upon, before the Pentagon made public yesterday its reserve plan or presented it to the next Congress. Wilson said on Wednesday that the force level would go below the 3,047,000 mark to be reached next June 30, and yesterday he indicated that it might drop to 2,700,000.

Lopping off about 468,000 men, the great majority of them in the Army, raised the question of whether the Army could maintain its current unit force of 19 divisions. The equivalent of six divisions are now in Europe, and two are remaining in the Far East.

Asked if he foresaw a change in world conditions by 1959 which would alter American military requirements, Burgess said "No, I'm not looking to a diminishment of missions by '59."

Pentagon officials are setting out to persuade Congress and the public that the new reserve program, which includes the training of 100,000 youth every six months, is not a "Universal Military Training" program—to which both the legislators and the public have been cool.

Christmas Program In Sterlington

The Sterlington Baptist Church, tonight at 7:30 o'clock will present a Christmas program directed by Billy Joe Milstead. It will comprise a candlelight service.

Those in the large choir are: Don Gray, H. Puckett, Joe Funderburk, Joe Simmons, H. McBeth, John Gray, B. C. Dean, Mrs. Billie Milstead, Bonnie Toney, Mrs. Jack Usrey, Joy Goodnight, Patsy Noble, Mrs. B. C. Dean, Ann Trezevant, Jane Puckett, Ethel Alexander, Martha Parrish, Mrs. C. L. Doss, Mrs. M. M. Funderburk, Lael Puckett, Leslie Amos, Gail Simmons, Mrs. W. A. Bradshaw, Alice J. Lipsey.

Among selections to be sung will be: "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful," "O Holy Night," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Silent Night," "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "While Shepherds Watched," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "Joy to the World."

ENTHUSIAST

DETROIT (AP)—Dr. Murlidhar Sahumo, an interne from India, was "so intrigued" by Detroit's expressways he "just had to speed." But for the next three months he had to be intrigued on foot. Traffic Judge John D. Watts suspended his driving privileges and fined him $25.



LSU APPLE POLISHERS—Freshmen at Louisiana State University honored their faculty advisors at an apple polishing party sponsored by the W. Y. C. A. Eating apples in the field house lounge are A. O. Goldsmith, of the journalism faculty and Claude Henderson, Ann Hebert and Paul Fleming, all of Monroe.



ORGANIST CHAS. WILHITE, MRS. WOOD—Talented soprano will sing a series of sacred songs, with Mr. Wilhite organ accompanist, at Grace Episcopal church today at 4 p. m. Verses of Psalm 103 will be used. (News-Star—World Photo by Oldenburg)

Wives Of Crewmen Plan To Ask Ike's Aid In New Search For Lost Vessel

By JEAN LIPSCOMB

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18—UP—What has become of the freighter Southern Districts?

Has the converted LST fallen victim to some disaster at sea so sudden her men could not even get off an SOS? Has she, like the storied steamer Cyclops in 1917, vanished without trace?

Or will she, like the ghost ship Marie Celeste, turn up a derelict manned only by rats to start another of those salty legends recited by seamen ever since the fabled "Flying Dutchman" stirred their imaginations?

At least two of the wives of the 24 men aboard the Southern Districts, missing for more than a week, consider such legends superstitious nonsense.

One of them, Mrs. J. B. Downing, wife of the second mate, said she will ask President Eisenhower to have the Coast Guard renew its search for the ship. The search was called off last Friday.

She will tell Mr. Eisenhower, Mrs. Downing said, "that I request . . . and think it right . . . to give the ship a chance." She expressed hope that the Southern Districts' men may be drifting on a raft or in lifeboats if the ship actually has gone down.

Mrs. Downing has been keeping vigil with Mrs. Ernest Rowe, wife of the master of the missing ship, for news of her husband at Norfolk, Va.

In New Orleans, Mrs. Madeline Carder, pretty brunette wife of another crewman of the Southern Districts, said "a ship that size doesn't completely disappear."

She said her husband, Marvin, 38, told her before he sailed "he would be home for Christmas and for our first anniversary, and I still believe he will."

The 3,337-ton Southern Districts left Port Sulphur, La., Dec. 3 with a load of sulphur and was due at Rockport, Me., Dec. 11. She never arrived and no report was received from the ship after Dec. 5, when it was in the Gulf two days out of the Louisiana port.

The Coast Guard started a search of the southeast Gulf and entire Atlantic seaboard after the Southern Districts failed to arrive at Rockport. Once a ship resembling an LST was sighted at dusk off Cape Hatteras, N. C.—the graveyard of the Atlantic. But a thorough search next day turned up no trace of it in the area.

That apparition off Hatteras — if it was an apparition — was enough to make superstitious seamen recall the stories of the Cyclops, the Marie Celeste and even the Flying Dutchman—the ghostliest ship of them all.

The Dutchman was said to have had aboard a nobleman condemned to wander forever for the murder of his brother and bride. The gray ship plowed endlessly to the north and some seamen vow they see it even today.

Pope Takes Ride For 25 Minutes; Feeling Better

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 18 (AP)—Pope Pius XII, still very weak but slightly improved, took a 25 minute automobile ride today in the Vatican Gardens. It was his first time outdoors in three weeks.

Doctors ordered the ride as part of a new medical treatment to increase the Pontiff's strength. The gardens were blocked off by the Vatican's Swiss guards to assure the Pope complete privacy.

Doctors said that if good weather continues they hope the 78-year-old Roman Catholic Church leader will be able to repeat his ride daily. Today was warm and sunny and witnesses said the Pope appeared to enjoy the brief outing. But they said the frail and ailing Pontiff still appeared "very weak."

He was helped from a private Vatican palace elevator to his American-donated limousine by his private physician, Dr. Riccardo Galeazzi-Lisi, and by Dr. Paul Niehans, a Swiss glandular specialist. The two physicians followed in a second car and assisted the Pope to his elevator at the end of the ride.

Vatican officials reacted with the greatest optimism they have displayed since the Pope returned seriously ill from the Castel Gandolfo summer home just three weeks ago.

Dr. Galeazzi-Lisi ordered him to bed immediately upon arrival, but on Dec. 2 the Pope suffered a serious collapse that brought grave fears for his life.

Since then his ailment, diagnosed as hemorrhagic gastritis and a small hernia of the esophagus, had kept the Pope confined to his apartment.

News Briefs

Thirty - five Essos service station dealers were honored recently at a dealer recognition award dinner. H. J. Geiger, assistant division manager, and DuVal F. Kickey, district manager for the company, presented plaques to the dealers.

Recognized for more than 30 years as Esso dealers were: J. M. King, L. B. Archibald, George B. Frenklin and Son, D. R. Sartor Sons, H. G. Koonze, Ross Motor Co., Snyder's Esso Service. For more than 20 years H. H. Kahn, A. L. Knesel, F. G. Smith, Louis Testa, Walter Woods, J. C. Brewer, K. E. Batman, John C. Morris, Sr., C. M. Noble, A. C. Jackson, Wilmot McCain, V. T. Steens. For more than 10 years R. W. Rustin, Rod Naylor, Ross McDonald, Taft Burns, Varna Barron, J. C. Brasher, E. L. Risinger, R. A. Peden, B. E. Roberts, Saul Adler, I. D. Jackson, C. C. Duke, J. J. Valsamo, Mrs. P. N. Edward, John Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duncan have moved their Toledo Scales salesroom from North Fourth to 812 Louisville avenue.

Wesley S. Shafto, of Monroe, celebrated his 25th anniversary with The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York on December 16. He has qualified for the Million Dollar Round Table of the NALU, the National Field Club and the Top Club of Mutual.

Mrs. Ophelia Francis, of Monroe, has been appointed public relations chairman of the Louisiana Association of Accredited Cosmetologists. She is also first vice - president of the organization, as well as president of the Louisiana Beauty Culture Schools Association.

McCarthy Files Hold No Names Of Informants

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—UP—The Democrats are unlikely to learn the names of Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's secret informants when they take control of the files of his Senate Investigating Subcommittee Jan. 5.

They might learn, however, what returns McCarthy got from his televised invitation to all government workers last spring to furnish him information.

Sen. John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) will replace the Wisconsin Republican as subcommittee chairman next month and take control of the files which McCarthy has said contain "hundreds of thousands of documents."

But McCarthy made clear during the Army-McCarthy hearings last spring that he would not disclose to anyone the names of persons furnishing him information.

Aside from that, he swore last May that the information he has received has gone into subcommittee files.

McCarthy said that "it is a daily and a nightly occurrence for me to receive information from people in government in regard to Communist infiltration."

Democrats on the subcommittee complained during the hearings that it did little good for them to have free access to the files if they did not know what they contained or where to look for it.

Man Wanted On Check Charge Held

Longview, Tex., authorities notified the Ouachita parish sheriff department they are holding a man wanted in Monroe on a theft by check charge, Sheriff Bailey Grant said Saturday.

Sheriff Grant identified the man as Vaynard Paul, Jr., and said he is being held in Longview on a similar charge.

Paul is charged on three counts of issuing worthless checks. The checks, each for $91, were written on the "J. E. Jones Construction Company."

A detainer has been placed on Paul so that he may be brought back to Monroe for prosecution after the Texas charge is cleared up.

New Government Of Japan Clings Closely To U. S.

TOKYO, Sunday, Dec. 19 (AP)—Two facts stand out today after a week of confusing statements about proposed Japanese recognition of Red China and Russia in the interests of trade:

1. Japan's new government, headed by Conservative Prime Minister Ichiro Hatoyama, is solidly in the free world camp and is not going to do anything it thinks might endanger that position.

2. Japanese businessmen, as individuals, will have to carry the ball for any expansion of trade with the Reds. About all the Hatoyama government will do presently is perhaps ease travel restrictions for "nonpolitical" visits to the Communist nations.

Today an American Embassy spokesman confirmed that members of the new government have called on Ambassador John Allison and told him it "desires to maintain close and cordial relations with the United States."

Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov's statement that Russia is willing to meet Japan on "normalizing" relations got a cool reception from most political leaders except the Leftist half of the Socialist party.

Hatoyama said the "time is not ripe." Foreign Minister Namaru Shigemitsu said it was "a step forward" if the offer is sincere but that the Japanese government does not plan to sound out Russia any further now.

At one time during the week, Hatoyama said he favored diplomatic relations with both Red and Nationalist China. But, while he was speaking for home consumption on a popular radio panel show, Shigemitsu told the Diet the government already recognizes the Formosa regime and has no intention of recognizing both.

Later both said there was no conflict—Japan recognizes Nationalist China but is "realistically" aware that Red China exists.

Shigemitsu heard without comment a proposal that Japan set up a trade mission in Russia and invite the Soviets to establish one in Japan.

Salt Workers To Get Pay Increase

NEW IBERIA, La.—UP—A total of 250 hourly workers at the Jefferson Island Salt Co. will receive a three cent per hour increase in base pay effective Jan. 1, company officials announced today.

Works manager R. D. Rudolph said the increase will represent an additional payroll of from $15,000 to $20,000 annually.

"Business has been good and we look forward to continued active operation in the coming year," Rudolph said.

The company was strikebound from Aug. 7, 1952, to Feb. 20, 1953.

Dr. S. J. "Sam" Morris has been physician for the West Virginia University athletic teams for 37 years.

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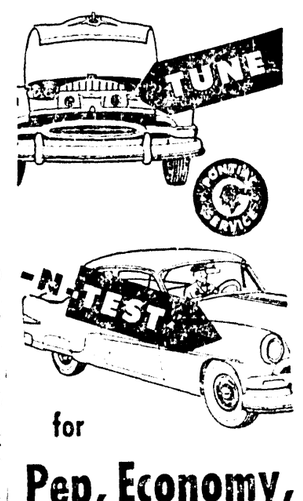
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State Of Louisiana Now An Affluent 'Oil Baron'

CAPITOL CORRIDORS
By HUGH A. MULLIGAN

BATON ROUGE (AP)—One of the biggest oil barons in the state of Louisiana these days is the state of Louisiana, a lusty newcomer to the ranks of petroleum affluence.

We're talking about Louisiana as a business concern now, not as a taxing agency. There's a difference, and it's becoming more apparent every day in the state's treasury surplus.

Almost since the Jennings field blew in a few months after mighty Spindletop, oil has been one of the state's biggest revenue getters, thanks to severance taxes and healthy payrolls.

But only recently has the state become one of its own best customers. Louisiana the landlord shows signs of becoming as prosperous as Louisiana the tax collector.

The State Mineral Board, which acts as real estate agent, and the State Land Office, which acts as official landlord and rent dunner, are doing—of all things—a land office business.

More than 2,000 producing wells rear their lovely girdered heads on state owned lands and water bottoms, a record that few private land owners anywhere in the country can match.

So far this year, oil baron Louisiana has raked in nearly 75 million dollars from bonuses, royalties and rentals on state leases. The windfall has produced an 18 million dollar surplus in the general fund, offsetting losses in several major taxes and inspiring talk of a special session.

State budget officers and legislative fiscal committees, traditionally pessimistic, were unduly so when it came to predicting the value of Louisiana holdings for 1954. They missed the mark by 50 million dollars. But nobody's complaining.

Estimates were bound to be way off because nobody knew and few had any faith in the wealth of Louisiana's offshore holdings in the Gulf of Mexico, recently returned by Congress.

Even Gov. Robert Kennon, a rabid tidelands enthusiast, once lapsed morbid and prophesized the offshore dream would be "no more than a trickle."

Kennon went on fighting for the trickle anyhow and in calendar year 1954, which still has two weeks to go, it turned into a 45 million dollar gusher of bonuses, rentals and royalties.

Practically every time the mineral board met a new record was set for bonuses on a state lease. It got so reporters and board members alike yawned when a bid was under a million dollars.

The board is headed by John Olvey of Shreveport and composed mainly of veteran oilmen—fellow competitors who handle the state's business like it was their own and know the value of a soggy, marshy acre in the Gulf. They also like a check with plenty of zeros on it.

This was demonstrated recently when the board turned down a couple of quarter million and half million dollar bids as unsatisfactory, readvertised the offshore tracts in question and, at the next leasing, got itself a million or more check.

California Oil Co. astounded competing bidders by paying a record bonus of $5,265,000 on a 5,000-acre offshore tract.

But bonuses are only part of the picture. Since Jan. 1, the state has netted nearly six million dollars on offshore rentals and royalties, and inland bonuses, rentals and royalties have totaled more than 27½ million dollars.

State officials know that land and water for leasing won't be available forever, but royalties should keep on flowing long after the bonuses become history with the boom days.

Mrsm Ellen Bryan Moore, registrar of the State Land Office and a long-time believer in Louisiana's Gulfward future, thinks this is only the beginning.

"When drilling and production facilities get in full swing," she says, "we can look for huge production royalty checks to start flowing into the State Land Office and thence to the State Treasury.

No one yet has hazarded a guess what the bonanza will be like if the federal government approves Louisiana's claim to three leagues (10.5 miles) from the coastline instead of the present Department of Interior limit of three miles from shore.

The difference between the two southern boundary claims is something like 27 miles. How many millions will that mean in bonuses and royalties?

The answer may be found over the horizon where already 48 wells are in production on federal leases.

Manpower Chief Explains Theory Of UMT Proposal

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Pentagon's manpower chief said today that if the new reserve program is adopted it might be possible to meet military commitments at home and overseas even with the regular armed forces cut below three million men.

Asst. Secretary of Defense Carter Burgess told reporters that if by mid-1959 the size of the regular military services is down from the present 3,168,000 to "say 2,900,000," and the new program to create a reserve of up to five million trained men is in operation, there would be a "very sound base" for carrying out all defense obligations.

Burgess' mention of a possible 2,900,000 force by 1959 seemed to contrast with comments by Secretary Charles E. Wilson at a news conference yesterday. Wilson indicated the goal might be about 2,700,000—a reduction of 468,000 from present strength.

Burgess, in talking to newsmen today, said it "is a little hard to predict what strength will be by 1959." But he said that if the new reserve program is adopted, "You would be in better position to cut active forces."

The decision to trim military manpower appeared to have been made, even if definite figures were not decided upon, before the Pentagon made public yesterday its reserve plan or presented it to the next Congress. Wilson said on Wednesday that the force level would go below the 3,047,000 mark to be reached next June 30, and yesterday he indicated that it might drop to 2,700,000.

Lopping off about 468,000 men, the great majority of them in the Army, raised the question of whether the Army could maintain its current unit force of 19 divisions. The equivalent of six divisions are now in Europe, and two are remaining in the Far East.

Asked if he foresaw a change in world conditions by 1959 which would alter American military requirements, Burgess said "No, I'm not looking to a diminishment of missions by '59."

Pentagon officials are setting out to persuade Congress and the public that the new reserve program, which includes the training of 100,000 youth every six months, is not a "Universal Military Training" program—to which both the legislators and the public have been cool.

Christmas Program In Sterlington

The Sterlington Baptist Church, tonight at 7:30 o'clock will present a Christmas program directed by Billy Joe Milstead. It will comprise a candlelight service.

Those in the large choir are: Don Gray, H. Puckett, Joe Funderburk, Joe Simmons, H. McBeth, John Gray, B. C. Dean, Mrs. Billie Milstead, Bonnie Toney, Mrs. Jack Usrey, Joy Goodnight, Patsy Noble, Mrs. B. C. Dean, Ann Trezevant, Jane Puckett, Ethel Alexander, Martha Parrish, Mrs. C. L. Doss, Mrs. M. M. Funderburk, Lael Puckett, Leslie Amos, Gail Simmons, Mrs. W. A. Bradshaw, Alice J. Lipsey.

Among selections to be sung will be: "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful," "O Holy Night," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Silent Night," "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "While Shepherds Watched," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "Joy to the World."

ENTHUSIAST

DETROIT (AP)—Dr. Murlidhar Sahumo, an interne from India, was "so intrigued" by Detroit's expressways he "just had to speed." But for the next three months he had to be intrigued on foot. Traffic Judge John D. Watts suspended his driving privileges and fined him $25.



LSU APPLE POLISHERS—Freshmen at Louisiana State University honored their faculty advisors at an apple polishing party sponsored by the W. Y. C. A. Eating apples in the field house lounge are A. O. Goldsmith, of the journalism faculty and Claude Henderson, Ann Hebert and Paul Fleming, all of Monroe.



ORGANIST CHAS. WILHITE, MRS. WOOD—Talented soprano will sing a series of sacred songs, with Mr. Wilhite organ accompanist, at Grace Episcopal church today at 4 p. m. Verses of Psalm 103 will be used. (News-Star—World Photo by Oldenburg)

Wives Of Crewmen Plan To Ask Ike's Aid In New Search For Lost Vessel

By JEAN LIPSCOMB

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18—UP—What has become of the freighter Southern Districts?

Has the converted LST fallen victim to some diaster at sea so sudden her men could not even get off an SOS? Has she, like the storied steamer Cyclops in 1917, vanished without trace?

Or will she, like the ghost ship Marie Celeste, turn up a derelict manned only by rats to start another of those salty legends recited by seamen ever since the fabled "Flying Dutchman" stirred their imaginations?

At least two of the wives of the 24 men aboard the Southern Districts, missing for more than a week, consider such legends superstitious nonsense.

One of them, Mrs. J. B. Downing, wife of the second mate, said she will ask President Eisenhower to have the Coast Guard renew its search for the ship. The search was called off last Friday.

She will tell Mr. Eisenhower, Mrs. Downing said, "that I request... and think it right... to give the ship a chance." She expressed hope that the Southern Districts' men may be drifting on a raft or in lifeboats if the ship actually has gone down.

Mrs. Downing has been keeping vigil with Mrs. Ernest Rowe, wife of the master of the missing ship, for news of her husband at Norfolk, Va.

In New Orleans, Mrs. Madeline Carder, pretty brunette wife of another crewman of the Southern Districts, said "a ship that size doesn't completely disappear."

She said her husband, Marvin, 38, told her before he sailed "he would be home for Christmas and for our first anniversary, and I still believe he will."

The 3,337-ton Southern Districts left Port Sulphur, La., Dec. 3 with a load of sulphur and was due at Rockport, Me., Dec. 11. She never arrived and no report was received from the ship after Dec. 5, when it was in the Gulf two days out of the Louisiana port.

The Coast Guard started a search of the southeast Gulf and entire Atlantic seaboard after the Southern Districts failed to arrive at Rockport. Once a ship resembling an LST was sighted at dusk off Cape Hatteras, N. C.—the graveyard of the Atlantic. But a thorough search next day turned up no trace of it in the area.

That apparition off Hatteras — if it was an apparition — was enough to make supersitious seamen recall the stories of the Cyclops, the Marie Celeste and even the Flying Dutchman—the ghostliest ship of them all.

The Dutchman was said to have had aboard a nobleman condemned to wander forever for the murder of his brother and bride. The gray ship plowed endlessly to the north and some seamen vow they see it even today.

Pope Takes Ride For 25 Minutes; Feeling Better

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 18 (AP)—Pope Pius XII, still very weak but slightly improved, took a 25 minute automobile ride today in the Vatican Gardens. It was his first time outdoors in three weeks.

Doctors ordered the ride as part of a new medical treatment to increase the Pontiff's strength. The gardens were blocked off by the Vatican's Swiss guards to assure the Pope complete privacy.

Doctors said that if good weather continues they hope the 78-year-old Roman Catholic Church leader will be able to repeat his ride daily. Today was warm and sunny and witnesses said the Pope appeared to enjoy the brief outing. But they said the frail and ailing Pontiff still appeared "very weak."

He was helped from a private Vatican palace elevator to his American-donated limousine by his private physician, Dr. Riccardo Galeazzi-Lisi, and by Dr. Paul Niehans, a Swiss glandular specialist. The two physicians followed in a second car and assisted the Pope to his elevator at the end of the ride.

Vatican officials reacted with the greatest optimism they have displayed since the Pope returned seriously ill from the Castel Gandolfo summer home just three weeks ago.

Dr. Galeazzi-Lisi ordered him to bed immediately upon arrival, but on Dec. 2 the Pope suffered a serious collapse that brought grave fears for his life.

Since then his ailment, diagnosed as hemorrhagic gastritis and a small hernia of the esophagus, had kept the Pope confined to his apartment.

News Briefs

Thirty - five Essos service station dealers were honored recently at a dealer recognition award dinner. H. J. Geiger, assistant division manager, and DuVal F. Kickey, district manager for the company, presented plaques to the dealers.

Recognized for more than 30 years as Esso dealers were: J. M. King, L. B. Archibald, George B. Franklin and Son, D. R. Sartor Sons, H. G. Koonze, Ross Motor Co., Snyder's Esso Service. For more than 20 years H. H. Kahn, A. L. Knesel, F. G. Smith, Louis Testa, Walter Woods, J. C. Brewer, K. E. Batman, John C. Morris, Sr., C. M. Noble, A. C. Jackson, Wilmot McCain, V. T. Steens. For more than 10 years R. W. Rustin, Rod Naylor, Ross McDonald, Taft Burns, Varna-Barron, J. C. Brasher, E. L. Risinger, R. A. Peden, B. E. Roberts, Saul Adler, I. D. Jackson, C. C. Duke, J. J. Valsamo, Mrs. P. N. Edward, John Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duncan have moved their Toledo Scales salesroom from North Fourth to 812 Louisville avenue.

Wesley S. Shafto, of Monroe, celebrated his 25th anniversary with The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York on December 16. He has qualified for the Million Dollar Round Table of the NALU, the National Field Club and the Top Club of Mutual.

Mrs. Ophelia Francis, of Monroe, has been appointed public relations chairman of the Louisiana Association of Accredited Cosmetologists. She is also first vice - president of the organization, as well as president of the Louisiana Beauty Culture Schools Association.

McCarthy Files Hold No Names Of Informants

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—UP—The Democrats are unlikely to learn the names of Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's secret informants when they take control of the files of his Senate Investigating Subcommittee Jan. 5.

They might learn, however, what returns McCarthy got from his televised invitation to all government workers last spring to furnish him information.

Sen. John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) will replace the Wisconsin Republican as subcommittee chairman next month and take control of the files which McCarthy has said contain "hundreds of thousands of documents."

But McCarthy made clear during the Army-McCarthy hearings last spring that he would not disclose to anyone the names of persons furnishing him information.

Aside from that, he swore last May that the information he has received has gone into subcommittee files.

McCarthy said that "it is a daily and a nightly occurrence for me to receive information from people in government in regard to Communist infiltration."

Democrats on the subcommittee complained during the hearings that it did little good for them to have free access to the files if they did not know what they contained or where to look for it.

Man Wanted On Check Charge Held

Longview, Tex., authorities notified the Ouachita parish sheriff department they are holding a man wanted in Monroe on a theft by check charge, Sheriff Bailey Grant said Saturday.

Sheriff Grant identified the man as Vaynard Paul, Jr., and said he is being held in Longview on a similar charge.

Paul is charged on three counts of issuing worthless checks. The checks, each for $91, were written on the "J. E. Jones Construction Company."

A detainer has been placed on Paul so that he may be brought back to Monroe for prosecution after the Texas charge is cleared up.

New Government Of Japan Clings Closely To U. S.

TOKYO, Sunday, Dec. 19 (AP)—Two facts stand out today after a week of confusing statements about proposed Japanese recognition of Red China and Russia in the interests of trade:

1. Japan's new government, headed by Conservative Prime Minister Ichiro Hatoyama, is solidly in the free world camp and is not going to do anything it thinks might endanger that position.

2. Japanese businessmen, as individuals, will have to carry the ball for any expansion of trade with the Reds. About all the Hatoyama government will do presently is perhaps ease travel restrictions for "nonpolitical" visits to the Communist nations.

Today an American Embassy spokesman confirmed that members of the new government have called on Ambassador John Allison and told him it "desires to maintain close and cordial relations with the United States."

Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov's statement that Russia is willing to meet Japan on "normalizing" relations got a cool reception from most political leaders except the Leftist half of the split Japanese Socialist party.

Hatoyama said the "time is not ripe." Foreign Minister Namoru Shigemitsu said it was "a step forward" if the offer is sincere but that the Japanese government does not plan to sound out Russia any further now.

At one time during the week, Hatoyama said he favored diplomatic relations with both Red and Nationalist China. But, while he was speaking for home consumption on a popular radio panel show, Shigemitsu told the Diet the government already recognizes the Formosa regime and has no intention of recognizing both.

Later both said there was no conflict—Japan recognizes Nationalist China but is "realistically" aware that Red China exists.

Shigemitsu heard without comment a proposal that Japan set up a trade mission in Russia and invite the Soviets to establish one in Japan.

Salt Workers To Get Pay Increase

NEW IBERIA, La.—UP—A total of 250 hourly workers at the Jefferson Island Salt Co. will receive a three cent per hour increase in base pay effective Jan. 1, company officials announced today.

Works manager R. D. Rudolph said the increase will represent an additional payroll of from $15,000 to $20,000 annually.

"Business has been good and we look forward to continued active operation in the coming year," Rudolph said.

The company was strikebound from Aug. 7, 1952, to Feb. 20, 1953.

Dr. S. J. "Sam" Morris has been physician for the West Virginia University athletic teams for 37 years.

Whitey Ford and Tommy Byrne, New York Yankees southpaws, like to fly when their team makes long road jumps. Say they want to get to bed early before pitching a game.

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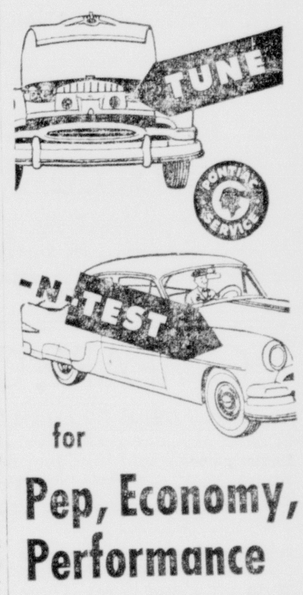
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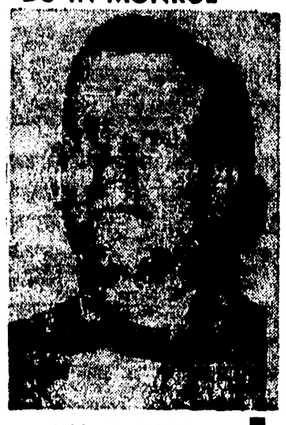
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17 Others	47 Seek	77 Of
18 Could	48 Today	78 Your
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21 For	51 Top	81 Doing
22 Sunday	52 Be	82 Good
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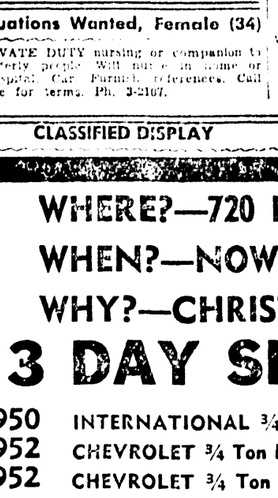
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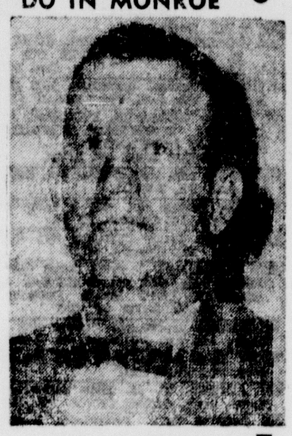
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Business Property (71-A)

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Houses (73)

4 ROOM house with bath. Lot 100x400. Morris St., Bawcomville, W. M. $4000.

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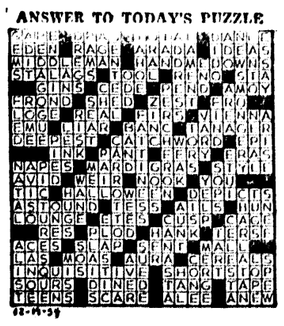
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LAKESHORE. 5 bedroom home. Lot 100 x200. $12,750.

307 NORTH 4th, W. M. 6 room house. Front and back porch. Garage. Near school. $8500. Small down payment.

202 SMITH St. 6 room house. Approximately 2 acres. $5250.

HARRELL Road. 1 acre. Nice 5 room and bath house. Lights, water, gas, phone. $4750.

407 VERNON, Monroe. 6 room house. 2 lots. ½ block of bus. $4750.

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NORTHSIDE

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1617 EMERSON. LOVELY 3 bedroom home. Central heating. Fan, oak floors, blinds. Lot 80 x 150. Carport.

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615 CALYPSO. Duplex, completely furnished 7 rooms, bath. 2 rooms, bath.

301 SIXTH ST. Excellent buy for commercial purposes.
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BON AIRE Drive, on Bayou. 3 bedroom home. Attic fan, blinds, carport, storeroom. Trees. Large lot. Vacant. $14,950.
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NEAR SHERROUSE School and churches. Lovely 2 bedroom home. Large living room with fireplace, separate dining room, separate breakfast room, spacious kitchen. Lovely glassed in sun porch with ceiling fan. Service porch. Blinds and shades, attic fan, heaters, oak floors, textone walls. Double garage. Well landscaped lot 75x150.

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DUPLEX, near college. Like new 4 rooms, bath, each side. Blinds, heaters.
WEST MONROE

DUPLEX. Southside 3 rooms, bath, each side. Corner lot. Good revenue.

311 WOODROW, W. M. Modern 3 bedroom home. Blinds, drapes. Lot 75x150.

2803 NORTH 7TH, McGuire Addn., W.M. 2 bedroom home. Floor furnace, attic fan, oak floors, blinds Lot 110 x 150.

$9,500 WILL BUY this lovely home on North 5th, W. M. 3 bedrooms. Attic fan, blinds, oak floors, garage.
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses (73)

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. . . see 406 BROWNING (W. M.) and its 3 bedrooms; its oak floors; its 13'x 15' kitchen; its 9'x18' screened porch on rear; its floor furnace; its aluminum awnings on all windows; its asbestos siding; its telephone jacks in all rooms AND its 100'x150' lot! It's selling for FHA value of $10,750 with only $900 down.

IT'S NOTHING . . .

. . . but the finest 3-bedroom, 2-tile bath brick home on the northside! Here's 1752 sq. ft. of living area with: hardwood block floors; pine-paneled kitchen (with GE dishwasher); attached garage; central heat; insulated attic; and pine-paneled den. 1601 BOIS D'ARC (Marie Place) is the address and it's selling for $20,750.

RAISE CHICKENS . . .

. . . and "he "dickens," or what have you on this 39 acre tract just north of Monroe, off Hwy. 165 on VENABLE LANE. There's 39 acres and a splendid 6-room home with oak floors; floor furnace; attic fan; 385' deep artesian well; 20'x16' screened porch on rear and a host of other features! $20,998 buys it.
PR & MWAB!

Price reduced and man, what a buy! We're speaking of 400 ANDERSON (W. M.) and its: 1302 sq. feet; 6-room; 3 bedrooms (unusually large); 4 floor furnaces; attic fan; oak floors; separate living and dining room; breezeway; double garage (with spacious storage in rear) and its metal awnings at all windows. It's now priced at $11,950 on a 100 per cent G. I. loan or only $1200 down FHA!

SNEEZED AT!

You wouldn't dare for it's a beauty of a buff brick on LAKESHORE DRIVE selling for the VA value of $12,350 with the following features: 1100 sq. feet; 3 nice size bedrooms; (all with walk-in closets) central heat; tile bath; carport and storage; water softener; 113'x200' lot and "oodles" of other features! We'll gladly show today!

BAYOU LIVIN'!

Here's lots of it on FINK'S HIDEAWAY ROAD in a captivating pink brick! It possesses 2 bedrooms; nice size pine-paneled den; pine - paneled living room with real fireplace; 1½ baths; modern jalousie windows; and 125' on Bayou DeSiard! The price is $13,500 (FHA value) and $2100 down makes the move!

NO FOOLIN'!

This is the mostest for the money we've ever encountered! Located at 1511 SOUTH FIRST there's a home with three bedrooms, den, separate dining room, 10x19 kitchen and 14x17 living room for $10,625! It looks brand new, too . . . and not only that, it has a floor furnace, hardwood floors, natural woodwork and 2 hall closets. Wanta' see . . . now?

GOTTA' SEE

to appreciate — especially inside, for it's just been completely redecorated outside too. If you wanta' see, it's located at 103 GEORGIA and total price is just $7,850. Two bedrooms, nice kitchen and a nifty living room. Also, aluminum screen doors; rockwool in attic; and a wonderful fenced in back yard. Let's take a look!

UNUSUAL

but we know you'll be crazy about it! This whole home (including bath) at 117 REGAN (in West Monroe is finished in a natural wood finish — and is it "Unazzy". And wait'll you see the wonderful 11x32 back porch — the double detached garage — the two bedrooms (one is 11x9½) — the separate dining room! Only $10,000 — call now!

HIYA!

What'cha doing? How about taking a spin out to 1210 SOUTH SECOND, and there you'll find a comfy two bedroom, separate dining room home selling for FHA appraised value of $9,500. By the way, there's also a front screened porch, detached garage and breakfast room, not to mention the fenced in back yard with trees! One phone call makes the appointment!

THINK

of the time you've wasted not owning a home! And, here's a nice home at 2905 NORTH TWELFTH in West Monroe on a 75x150 .ot! Just been remodeled and it boasts two good size bedrooms; kitchen with breakfast area; carport with storeroom; hardwood floors; floor furnace and more and more. Think, then call!

SIMPLY MAD

because you don't have closet space? Here it is at 1610 SOUTH FIRST and, man, it's got closets! This two bedroomer is selling for $7,400 . . . and is as easy as pie to buy! Kitchen has everything you'd want and hardwood floors; natural woodwork (timesaver); and custom made Venetian blinds. Wanta' see all those closets?

BINGO!

This 'un's a winner! 204 GEORGIA's the address . . . and it's only $8,500 (lower than appraisal). Completely redecorated inside and out in wonderful taste —and, when you see it, you'll find two spacious bedrooms; huge living room; big kitchen — It's really a liveable home! You'll agree, when you see!

$450 DOWN . . .

. . . purchases a lota' home at 705 JOSEPH! 768 sq feet; asbestos siding; oak floors; floor furnace; 30 gallon heater; Venetian blinds; garage with concrete floor and storeroom; spacious 100'x 150' lot; 2 comfortable bedrooms and the total price is $8500 (lower than FHA appraisal). You wanta' look today?

NUTS ABOUT IT!

You can't help but be for it's seldom you'll find a 3-bedroom and den home priced at only $9500 with features like this one: oak floors throughout; attached garage with hobby shop in rear; fenced back yard; asbestos siding; attic fan; 75'x150' lot; 10'x28' den and it's selling on a 100 pe cent G. I. loan!
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Realtors Frances Hotel
Jack L. Smith, Mgr., 3-6110
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses (73)

FOR SALE

1707 FRANCIS PLACE (Marie Place Addition) 3 bedroom brick home., nearing completion. Selec. your own colors.
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Or Cleveland Dubois 2-1373

206 PARGOUD DRIVE 6 rooms, bath, screened porch. Garage. $10,500.

1704 SOUTH 4th. 4 rooms, bath, carport. On concrete slab. Fenced. $7000.

CORNER GROCERY doing $7,000 monthly Buy stock, rent building.

COOPER ST., W. M Lots 75x100. $450.
S. Willis Williams, Ph. 2-6197

NEW 3 BEDROOM brick home. Well constructed, with living and dining room combination. All tile bath, central heating, hardwood floors. Plenty of closet space. Lot 75x150 with trees. Shown by appointment only. Ph. 3-0993.

HIGHWAY 80, near Auction Barn, W. M. 5 room house and 2 room house. All modern. Lot 143X225. $6500.

10 ACRE tract on Moore's Road, Monroe.
A. J. LESTER REALTOR
1202 Cypress, W. M.Dial 3-8311 or 2-1361

AFTER THE CHRISTMAS

Decorations are stored away, this 3 bedroom home will still display a look of warm, comfortable family living. Has attic fan, floor furnace, Venetian blinds, and is insulated. Garage and storeroom. In excellent condition. About 3 years old. On lot 70x150. Located on Breville, near the college. Owner transferred. Priced at only $10,500. Small down payment G. I. or F. H. A.
GIFT WRAPPED . . .

This lovely home on North 8th (McGuire Addition), W. M., should be wrapped in gay paper . . . for it has 2 large bedrooms and den, large living room, dinette, utility room, tile bath. Plenty of large walk-in closets, central heating, attic fan. Built-in dishwasher and drapes included. Double carport and storage room. On lot 100x262 in best residential section.

SANTA IS WAITING

For an invitation to visit you in this lovely 2 bedroom home with den and separate dining room. Has just been reconditioned and remodeled throughout. Has new cabinets, new linoleum, etc. On lot 100x400 with pine trees galore. Located on Shreveport Highway, about 1½ miles from West Monroe city limits. Small down payment F. H. A. or G. I.
CHRISTMAS HOLLY

On the door of your own home! And this is such a nice home . . . large 2 bedrooms with Venetian blinds, attic fan. Excellent condition. Shade trees and back yard fenced. Small down payment F. H. A. or G. I. Located 1304 South 2nd.

TIE A DEED

To a home of your own on that Christmas tree! Inspect this 5 room home with Venetian blinds. Carport. Has shade trees and fruit trees in back. Will F. H. A. or G. I. with very small down payment. Located 1509 South 3rd, Monroe.

AND LET US SHOW YOU THESE LISTINGS:
MONROE

4-ROOM house, dinette. Hardwood floors. In excellent condition. Small down payment, FHA or GI. 1307 South 1st.

4-BEDROOM home in good residential section on St. John St. Has separate dining room, 2 screened porches. Corner lot, 75x100. Now vacant. Ideal for residence or clinic.

DUPLEX SOUTHSIDE, 10 rooms, 2 baths. 3 lots. Price $8500.

BRAND NEW (just completed) 3 bedroom home with 2 baths. Carport and storage room. It's extra large and modern in every detail, including central heating and attic fan. Located near the college. Call for further details.

NICE 4 ROOM house, bath. 2 lots. $5000. Located on Kansas Lane.

120 ACRE farm. (2) 5 room houses and (1) 4 room house. 3 barns, large shop building tractors and all equipment. Located 2 miles off the Mer Rouge and Oak Grove Highway 2 miles south of Goodwill Community.

PRACTICALLY new building. Concrete blocks with brick front. 2200 sq. ft. of floor space. On 3 lots. DeSiard St. near college. Will sell or lease to right party. Price $23,250.

4 ROOM HOUSE and bath. Large lot. 310 Collier near College. Price, $1800.

5 ROOM HOUSE, bath Double garage. 2 large storerooms. Poultry house. 9 lots and 14 acres of land On Monroe-Alexandria Hwy., Olla, La $6,600 Write P O Box 1116, Monroe or Ph 3-4412

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2 BEDROOM home. Venetian blinds. Lot 100x300. Just outside city limits. 1212 Standifer. Can be bought by direct G.I. loan. Only $6500.

FOR COLORED. 4 room house, ½ bath, lot. 308 North 25th St. Price $2650.

WEST MONROE

NICE 5-ROOM HOME with bath. Venetian blinds, natural gas, lights, good well water with pump. Some barns. All under fence. Lot, 330x330. Located off Shreveport Highway on McGee Road. Price, $6585.

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REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Unfurnished Houses (64)

3 ROOM house and bath. Near paper mill. Phone 3-2171.

NICE 2 bedroom house. Garage. $50. 3516 South Grand. Also duplex, newly redecorated. $50. 1104 South 4th. Ph. 2-4309.

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314 ARKANSAS. 5 room house. Very nice. $75. Adults. Ph. 3-3655.

UNFURNISHED 2 bedroom house. 1020 North 6th, across from Medical Arts Building. For residential purposes, $75 month. For business purposes or doctor's office, $100 month. Ph. 2-0702.

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TWO BEDROOM house, venetian blinds, tile bath, college section. Ph. 3-4729

SMALL house. 603½ No. 5th, W. M. Ph. 3-6814 or 3-4879

NICE 3 bedroom house. 206 Bell Ave., near college. Ph. 3-3956, 7492.

2 BEDROOM house. Carport. 3303½ 8o. Grand. Ph. 3-1490 or 3-6220

Rooms With Board (65)

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Rooms Without Board (66)

LARGE ROOM twin beds, connecting bath, one or two gentlemen. 1303 Spencer Ph. 2-3660

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LOVELY ROOM on Bon Aire Drive, Edgewater Gardens. Fronting on Bayou DeSiard. Sleeping porch, private entrance, connecting bath. For information dial 7595.

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Business Places (67)

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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Business Property (71-A)

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BROWN Paper mill area. $90 month income. Lot 150 feet on Vick St. $5000.
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NORTH 2ND
COMMERCIAL location between Breard and Louisville. Lot 75x100 feet.
SOUTHSIDE
CAFE. Excellent buy at $3650. Building rents for $85.00.
101 SOUTH 1ST
LOVELY two-story home. Now used as 3 apartments, 10 rooms, 3 baths. Corner lot 83x150 ft. $13,500.
1909 JACKSON
EXCELLENT commercial location. Corner lot 104x150 ft. Apartment house, consisting of 22 rooms and 5 baths. Good revenue. Price reduced.
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CLOSE IN. Ideal business location. Corner lot 100x131 ft. Four houses, $15,750.
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Business Property (71-A)

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40 ACRES. Ward 8. 12 miles out on Cheniere Dam Road. Write L. B. Wallace, P. O. Box 839, Lassen County, Westwood, California.
200 ACRES NEAR Delhi. Improvements alone worth asking price. Ph 2-0747 or 3-4115.

Houses (73)

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1000 EMERSON, NORTH Monroe. Hollywood style home. 3 years old. With extra large rooms. Master bedroom 16x22. Large carport with storage room, tile floors. Textone walls. Located in Forsythe Shopping Center.
701½ VICK, W. M., near bag factory. 3 rooms and bath. $2750.
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3405 BREVILLE. College Addition. Hardwood floors, textone walls. Carport.
1603 SOUTH 1ST—Like new. Textone walls, hardwood floors. Only $7350.
DELHI—2 miles east on highway. 4-room house. Large chicken broiler.
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2907 GORDON. 5 rooms and bath. Garage. Will trade for country property.
703 NORTH 7th, W. M. 2 story home. 5 rooms and bath. Will trade.
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902 SOUTH 5th. 1 block from Plum St. School. 3 years old. $7500.

3 BEDROOM HOMES
119 VINSON ST., W. m. 6 room house. Front and back porch. Asbestos siding. Large storage building. Fenced chicken yard. 3 years old. Shade. Lot 135x210. Near Ransom school. $7550.
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ACREAGE
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14 ACRES and 6 room house and bath. Barn, deep well. Newly fenced. With extra large lake. On blacktop road. Will sell with good terms. Located on Good Hope Road, across from Tennessee Gas Station.
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4 ROOMS and bath. 2 acres of land. Highway 80, W. M. Near Steep Bayou. Only $4200.

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Houses (73)

4 ROOM house with bath. Lot 100x400. Morris St., Bawcomville, W. M. $4000.
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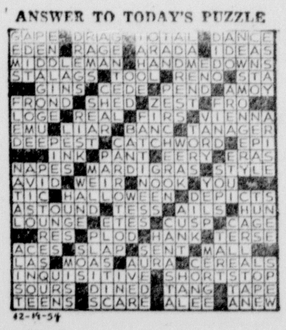
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815 CROSLEY, W. M. New 2 bedroom house. Wall heaters and attic fan. $1385 cash. Monthly payments, $59.50. FHA financed.
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1606 NORTH 6th. Most beautiful new home, 2 bedrooms. Carpets, air conditioning.
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SANTA
WILL CHUCKLE
AT THIS lovely brick home. The living room is beautiful with lake view. It also has a real brick fireplace with logs. 2 bedrooms and den, attractive kitchen. Central heating. Large screened porch. On lot 100x175. It's a honey! Wanta' peep? 1004 Marydelle Drive, near McGuire Club House.
YOUR DREAMS will be fulfilled when you see this beautiful brick home. Lovely living room with brick fireplace, separate dining room, spacious kitchen with utility room, 2 large bedrooms, and pine panneled den. Central heating, blinds, fan. Double carport. Lot 100x150. 3006 North 8th. $15,500
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LAKESHORE. 3 bedroom home. Lot 100 x200. $12,750.
307 NORTH 4th, W. M. 6 room house. Front and back porch. Garage. Near school. $8500. Small down payment.
202 SMITH St. 6 room house. Approximately 2 acres. $5250.
HARRELL Road. 1 acre. Nice 5 room and bath house. Lights, water, gas, phone. $4750.
407 VERNON, Monroe. 6 room house. 2 lots. ½ block of bus. $4750.
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NORTH 4TH, near school, busline, and stores. 3 lovely bedrooms, bath and half. living room designed from "American Homes", dining area, modern kitchen. Glassed in sun porch, inviting screened front porch. Plenty closets. Excellent condition. Quick possession. Lot 70 x 150. Only $12,800.
703 DOWNEY LANE. Modern 2 bedroom home. Dining room, closed in porch (could be used as den), floor furnace, window fan. Garage, carport.
605 STUBBS AVENUE. Lovely 3-bedroom home. 2 porches. Attic fan, blinds. Garage. Well landscaped lot.
1006 PARK. Lovely 2 bedroom brick home, and pine panelled den. Oak floors, attic fan. Attached garage. Lot 75x134.
1613 EMERSON. LOVELY 3 bedroom home. Central heating. Fan, oak floors, blinds. Lot 80 x 150. Carport.
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802 DOWNEY Lane. 2 bedroom home. Attic fan, 3 floor furnaces, oak floors, blinds, 7 closets. Lot 75 x 150.
804 ALEXANDER. 3 bedroom home. Floor furnace, attic fan, Venetian blinds.
100 FOSTER St. 2 bedroom home, tile bath. Central heating, attic fan, oak floors. Corner lot 150x150 feet.
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3305 CAMERON, near College. Modern 5 room home. Newly redecorated. New bath fixtures. Garage. Lot 50 x 140.
COLE AVENUE — Beautiful 3-bedroom home, pine panelled den, 2 BATHS. Attic fan, floor furnace, 2 Coleman heaters. Corner lot 70 x 150. Garage.
COLLEGE Ave. Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 story home. 1 bedroom and bath downstairs. 2 floor furnaces, blinds. Garage
3810 GERALD. 2 bedroom home. Double panel ray heater, attic fan.
DUPLEX, near college. Like new 4 rooms, bath, each side. Blinds, heaters.

WEST MONROE
DUPLEX. Southside. 3 rooms, bath, each side. Corner lot. Good revenue.
311 WOODROW, W. M. Modern 3 bedroom home. Blinds, drapes. Lot 75x150.
2803 NORTH 7TH. McGuire Addn., W.M. 2 bedroom home. Floor furnace, attic fan, oak floors, blinds. Lot 110 x 150.
$9450 WILL BUY this lovely home on North 5th, W. M. 3 bedrooms. Attic fan, blinds, oak floors, garage.
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Houses (73)

2 BEDROOM brick veneer home under construction. Corner lot. Broadmoor Addition. G.I. or F.H.A. financed.
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WHATTA' FIGURE!
It's only $7950 and . . . it belongs to 116 MAPLE (just off Park Ave.)! It has 2 bedrooms; enclosed back porch; kitchen has vent-a-hood; washer and dryer connections; new 30 gallon heater; and there are some splendid trees. A 1000 "bucks" makes the move with payments of only $43.

WAIT'LL YOU . . .
. . see 406 BROWNING (W. M.) and its 3 bedrooms; its oak floors; its 13'x 15' kitchen; its 9'x18' screened porch on rear; its floor furnace; its aluminum awnings on all windows; its asbestos siding; its telephone jacks in all rooms AND its 100'x150' lot! It's selling for FHA value of $10,750 with only $900 down.

IT'S NOTHING . . .
. . but the finest 3-bedroom, 2-tile bath brick home on the northside! Here's 1752 sq. ft. of living area with: hardwood block floors; pine-paneled kitchen (with GE dishwasher); attached garage; central heat; insulated attic; and pine-paneled den. 1601 BOIS D'ARC (Marie Place) is the address and it's selling for $20,750.

RAISE CHICKENS . . .
. . and the "dickens," or what have you on this 39 acre tract just north of Monroe, off Hwy. 165 on VENABLE LANE. There's 39 acres and a splendid 6-room home with oak floors; floor furnace; attic fan; 385' deep artesian well; 20'x16' screened porch on rear and a host of other features! $20,998 buys it.

PR & MWAB!
Price reduced and man, what a buy! We're speaking of 400 ANDERSON (W. M.) and its: 1302 sq. feet; 6-room; 3 bedrooms (unusually large); 4 floor furnaces; attic fan; oak floors; separate living and dining room; breezeway; double garage (with spacious storage in rear) and its metal awnings at all windows. It's now priced at $11,950 on a 100 per cent G. I. loan or only $1200 down FHA!

SNEEZED AT!
You wouldn't dare for it's a beauty of a buff brick on LAKESHORE DRIVE selling for the VA value of $12,350 with the following features: 1100 sq. feet; 3 nice size bedrooms; (all with walk-in closets) central heat; tile bath; carport and storage; water softener; 113'x200' lot and "goodies" of other features! We'll gladly show today!

BAYOU LIVIN'!
Here's lots of it on FINK'S HIDEAWAY ROAD in a captivating pink brick! It possesses 2 bedrooms; nice size pine-paneled den; pine - paneled living room with real fireplace; 1½ baths; modern jalousie windows; and 125' on Bayou DeSiard! The price is $13,500 (FHA value) and $2100 down makes the move!

NO FOOLIN'!
This is the mostest for the money we've ever encountered! Located at 1511 SOUTH FIRST there's a home with three bedrooms, den, separate dining room, 10x19 kitchen and 14x17 living room for $10,625! It looks brand new, too — and not only that, it has a floor furnace, hardwood floors, natural woodwork and 2 hall closets. Wanta' see . . . now?

GOTTA' SEE
to appreciate — especially inside, for it's just been completely redecorated (outside too). If you wanta' see, it's located at 103 GEORGIA and total price is just $7,850. Two bedrooms, nice kitchen and a nifty living room. Also, aluminum screen doors; rockwool in attic; and a wonderful fenced in back yard. Let's take a look!

UNUSUAL
but we know you'll be crazy about it! This whole home (including bath) at 117 REGAN in West Monroe is finished in a natural wood finish — and is it "snazzy". And wait'll you see the wonderful 11x32 back porch — the double detached garage — the two bedrooms (one is 11x9½) — the separate dining room! Only $10,000 — call now!

HIYA!
What'cha doing? How about taking a spin out to 1210 SOUTH SECOND, and there you'll find a comfy two bedroom, separate dining room home selling for FHA appraised value of $9,500. By the way, there's also a front screened porch, detached garage and breakfast room, not to mention the fenced in back yard with trees! One phone call makes the appointment!

THINK
of the time you've wasted not owning a home! And, here's a nice home at 2905 NORTH TWELFTH in West Monroe on a 75x150 .ot! Just been remodeled and it boasts two good size bedrooms; kitchen with breakfast area; carport with storeroom; hardwood floors; floor furnace and more and more. Think, then call!

SIMPLY MAD
because you don't have closet space? Here it is at 1610 SOUTH FIRST and, man, it's got closets! This two bedroomer is selling for $7,400 — and is as easy as pie to buy! Kitchen has everything you'd want and hardwood floors; natural woodwork (timesaver); and custom made Venetian blinds. Wanta' see all those closets?

BINGO!
This 'un's a winner! 204 GEORGIA's the address — and it's only $8,500 (lower than appraisal). Completely redecorated inside and out in wonderful taste —and, when you see it, you'll find two spacious bedrooms; huge living room; big kitchen — it's really a liveable home! You'll agree, when you see!

$450 DOWN . . .
. . . purchases a lota' home at 705 JOSEPH! 768 sq. feet; asbestos siding; oak floors; floor furnace; 30 gallon heater; Venetian blinds; garage with concrete floor and storeroom; spacious 100'x 150' lot; 2 comfortable bedrooms and the total price is $8500 (lower than FHA appraisal). You wanta' look today?

NUTS ABOUT IT!
You can't help but be for it's seldom you'll find a 3-bedroom and den home priced at only $9500 with features like this one: oak floors throughout; attached garage with hobby shop in rear; fenced back yard; asbestos siding; attic fan; 75'x150' lot; 10'x28' den and it's selling on a 100 per cent G. I. loan!
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Decorations are stored away, this 3 bedroom home will still display a look of warm, comfortable family living. Has attic fan, floor furnace, Venetian blinds, and is insulated. Garage and storeroom. In excellent condition. About 3 years old. On lot 70x150. Located on Breville, near the college. Owner transferred. Priced at only $10,500. Small down payment G. I. or F. H. A.
GIFT WRAPPED . . .
This lovely home on North 8th (McGuire Addition), W. M., should be wrapped in gay paper . . . for it has 2 large bedrooms and den, large living room, dinette, utility room, tile bath. Plenty of large walk-in closets, central heating, attic fan. Built-in dishwasher and drapes included. Double carport and storage room. On lot 100x262 in best residential section.
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For an invitation to visit you in this lovely 2 bedroom home with den and separate dining room. Has just been reconditioned and remodeled throughout. Has new cabinets, new linoleum, etc. On lot 100x400 with pine trees galore. Located on Shreveport Highway, about 1½ miles from West Monroe city limits. Small down payment F. H. A. or G. I.
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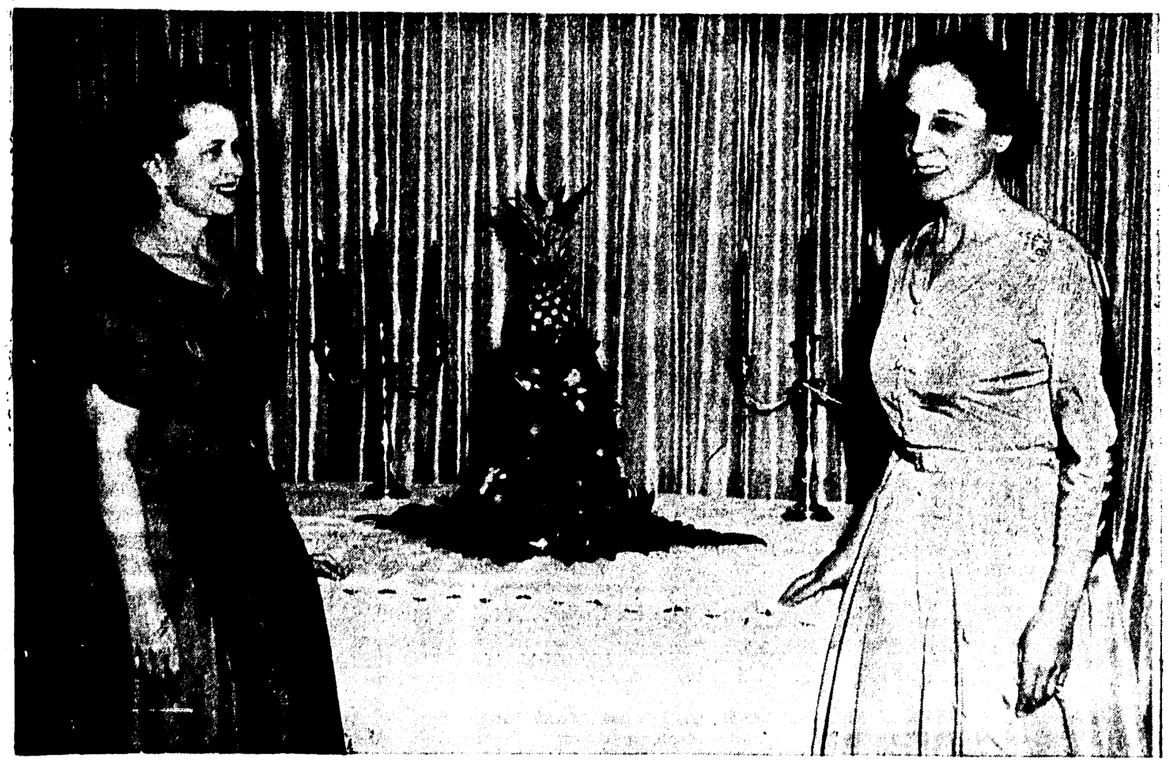
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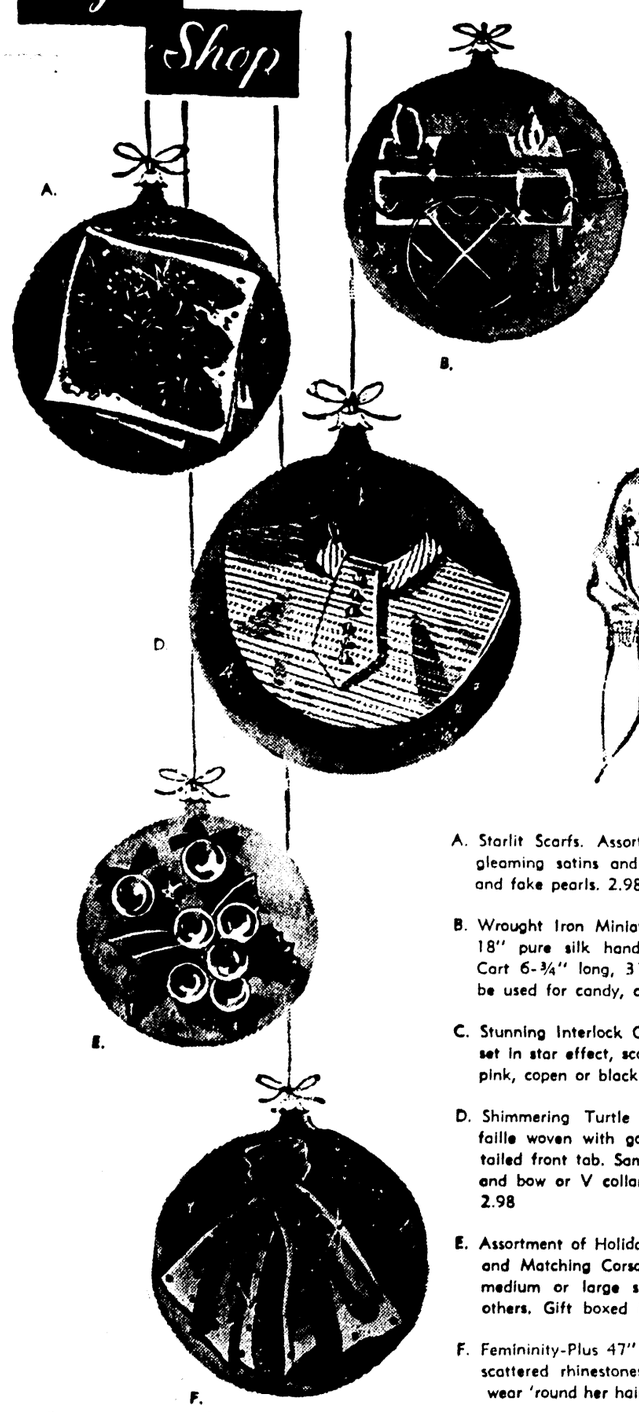
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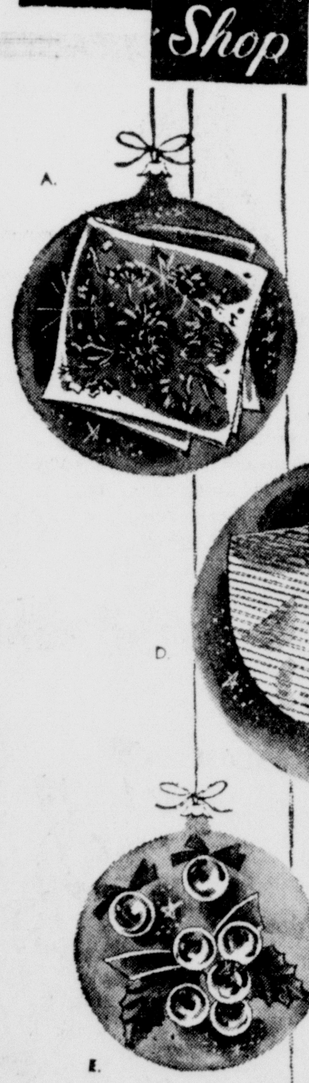
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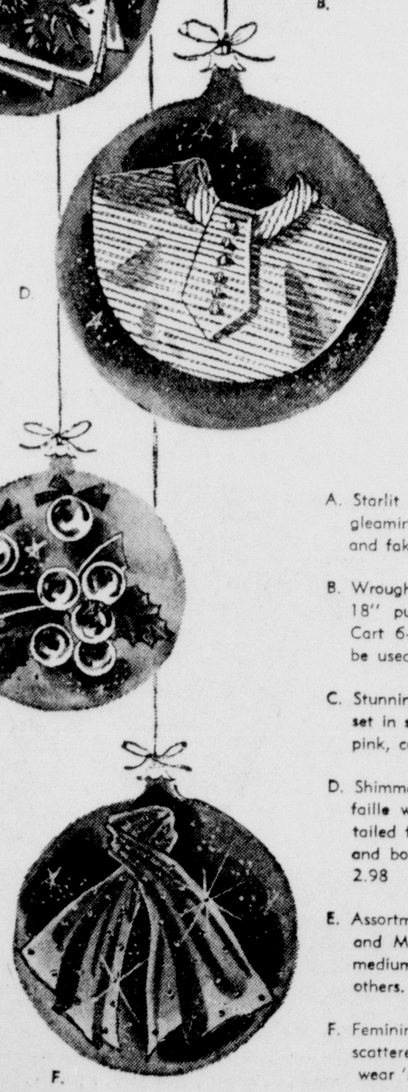
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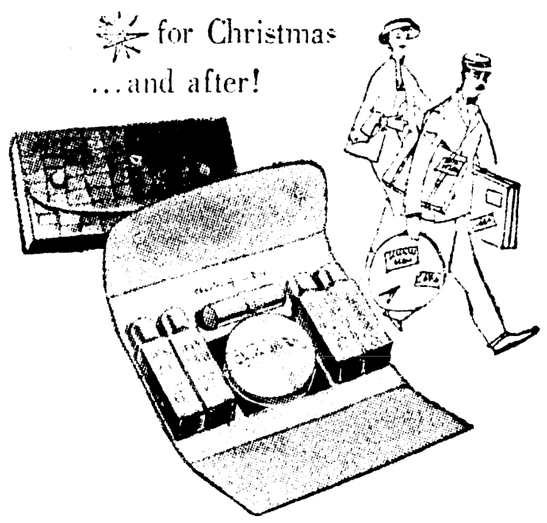
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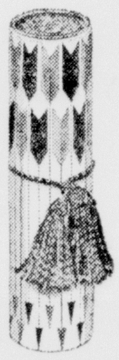
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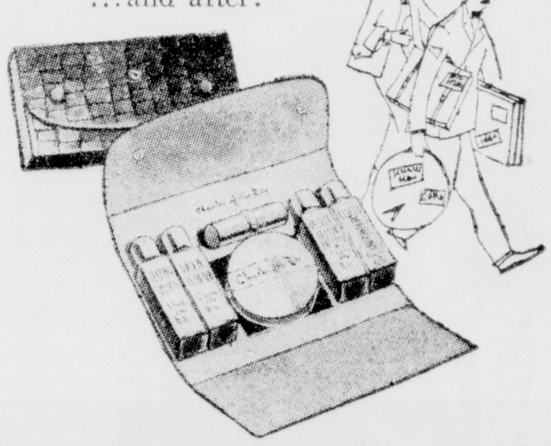
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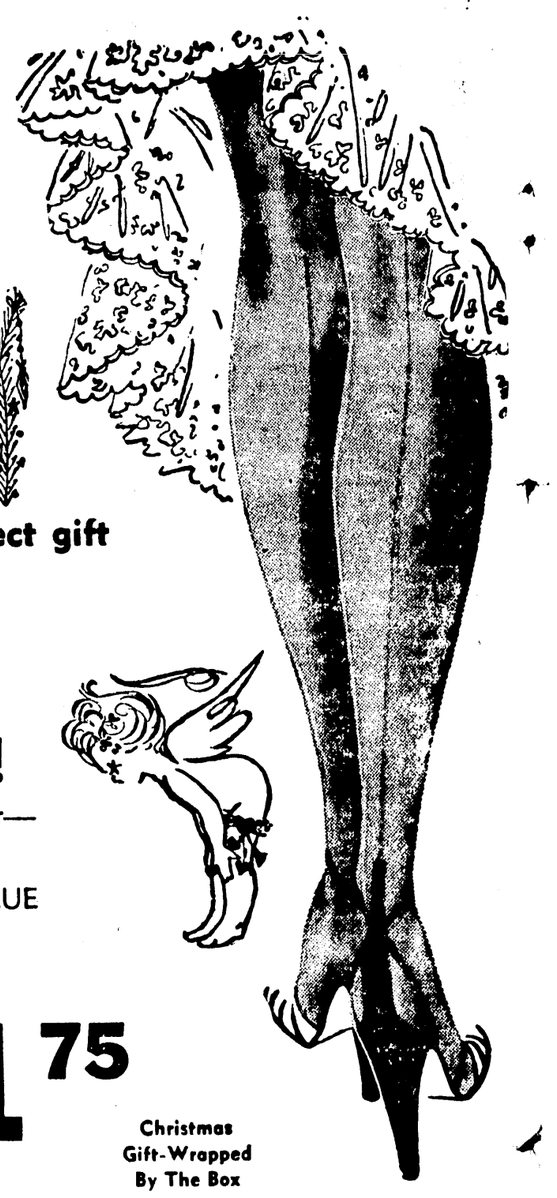
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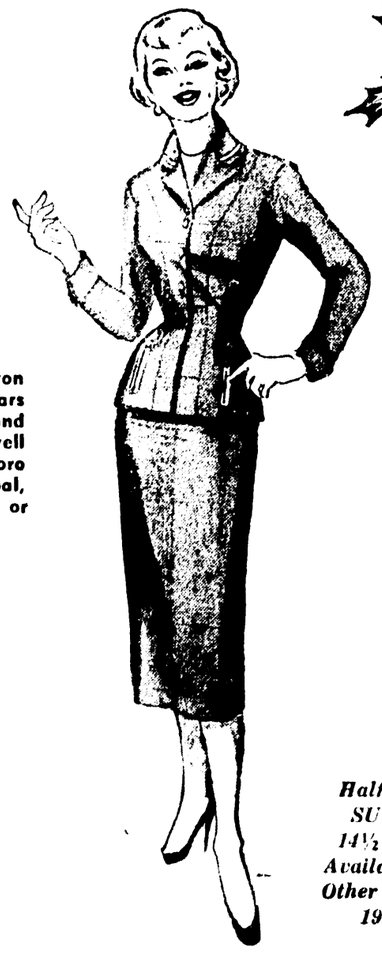
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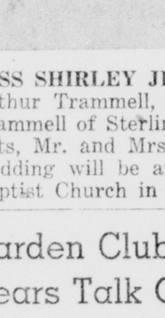
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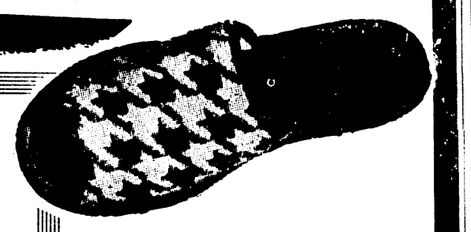


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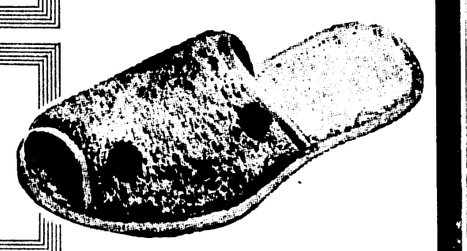
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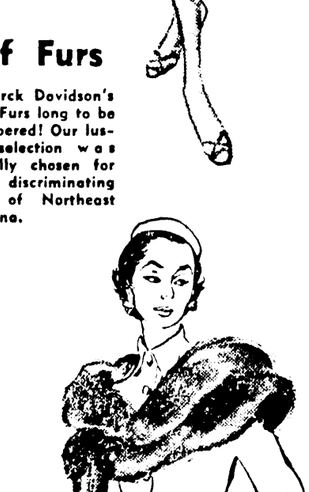
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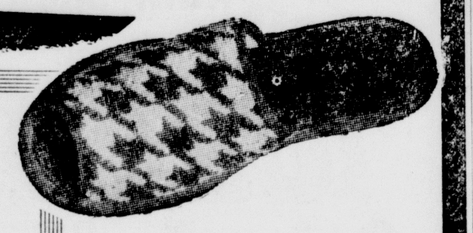


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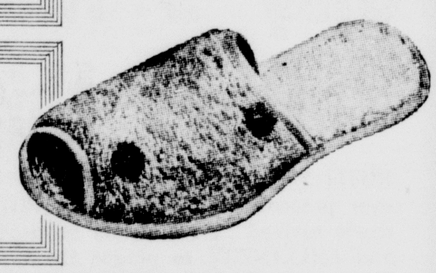
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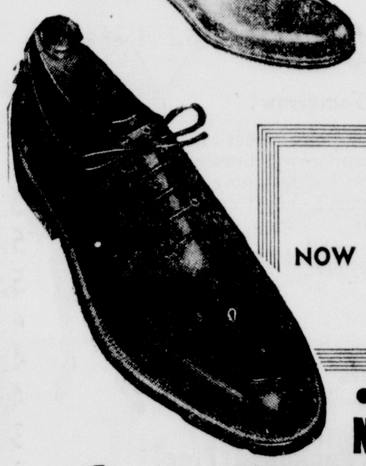
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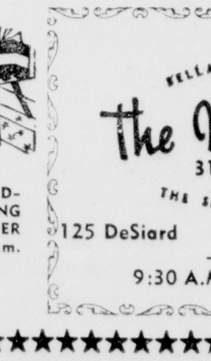
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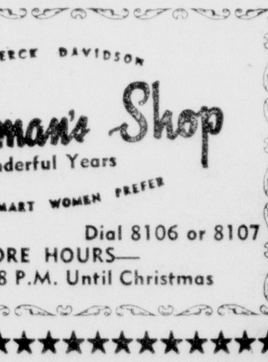
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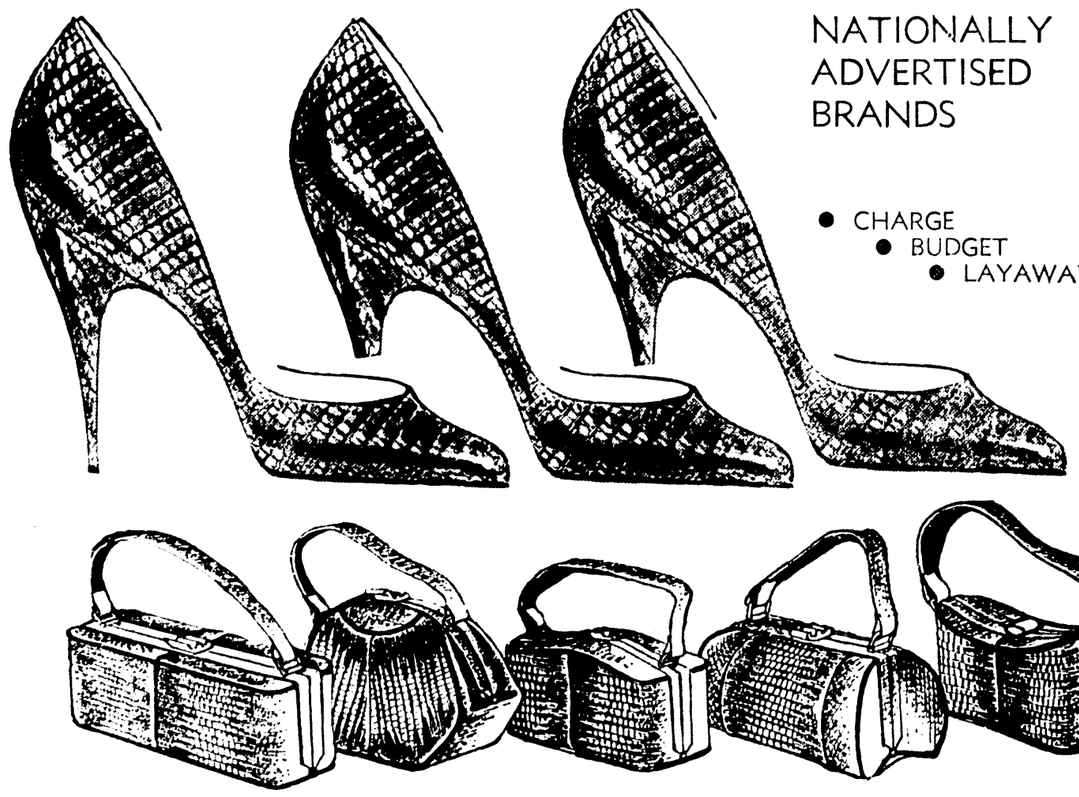
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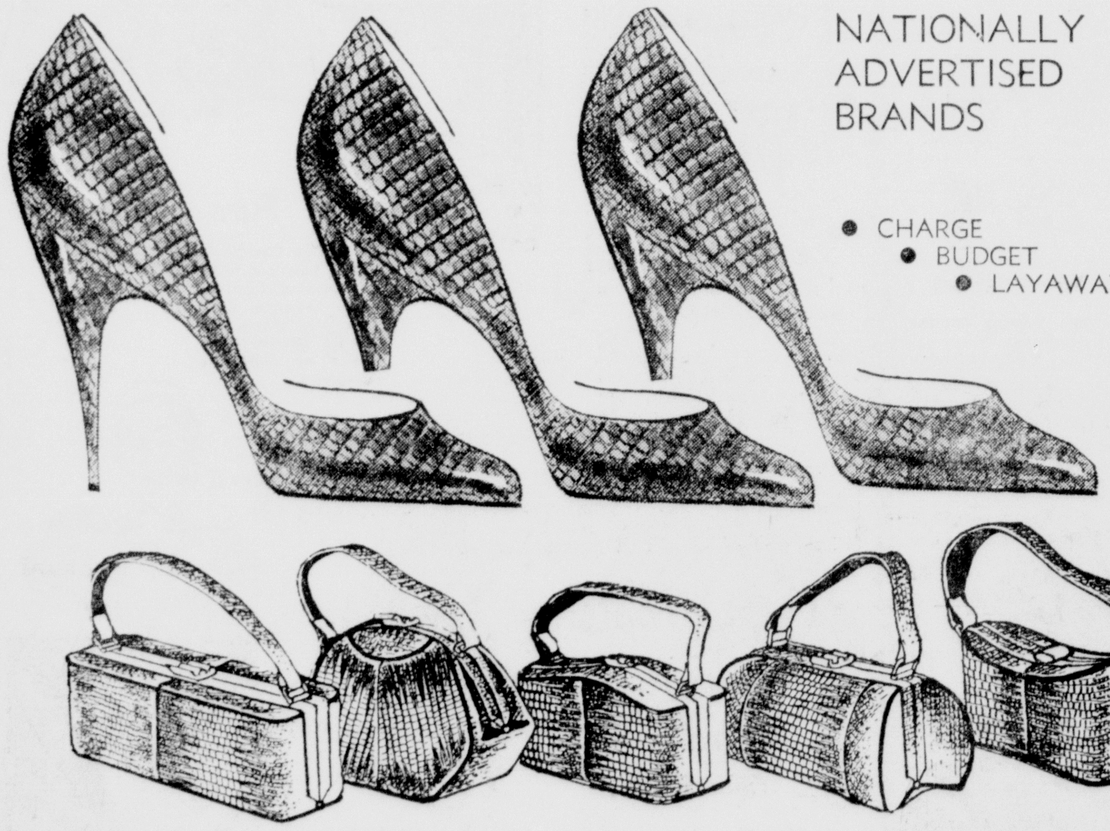
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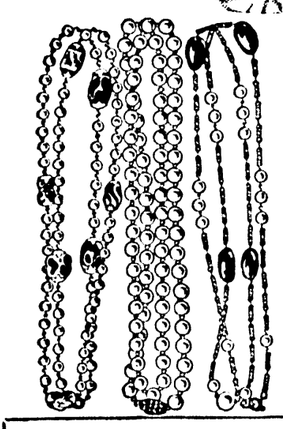
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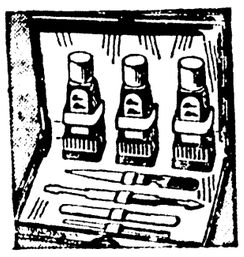
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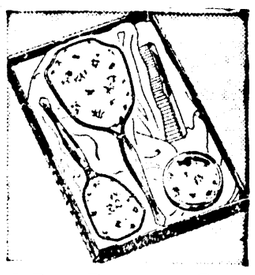
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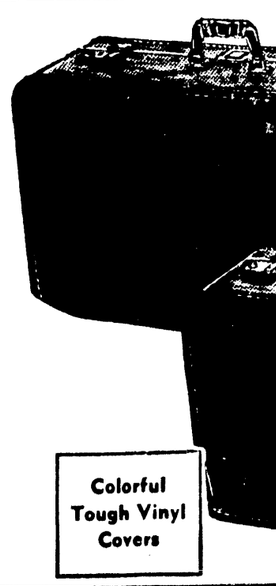
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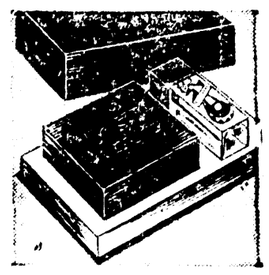
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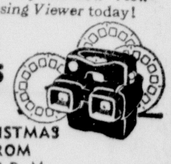
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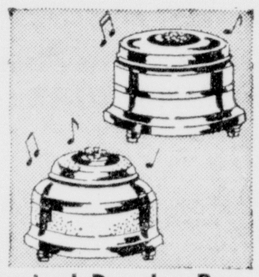
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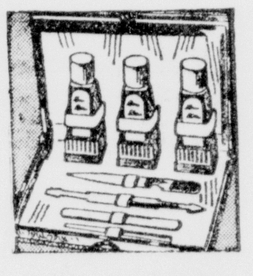
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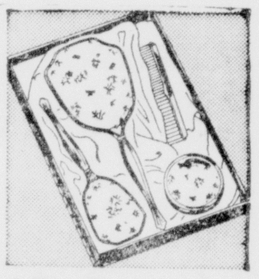
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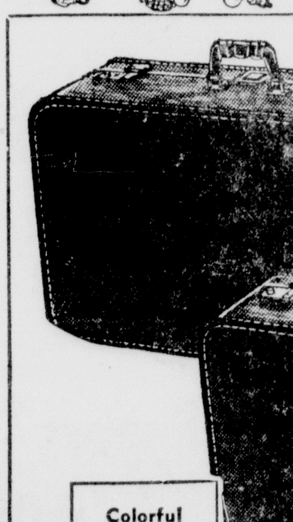
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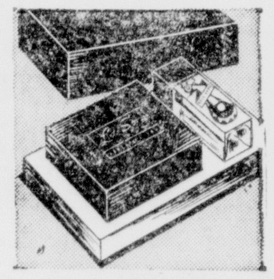
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These girls have been asked to sing carols at the party given by the Gray Ladies at the Adams Street home for men tomorrow. They will be joined in this project by some of the girls fom Troop 29. According to Yvonne Huckabee, who has practiced with them, they sing very well indeed. For several years Troop 10 did this particular service. Now Troops 43 and 29 are looking forward to the party.

Registered in Troop 43 are the following girls: Linda Bird, Kay Branch, Charlene Cascio, Lenora Carso, Brenda Cobb, Bonnie Dupuy, Eileen Ewing, Alma Faulk, Pat Ford, Sue Hill, Susie Quillen, Lynn Smith, Lea Thompson, Jan West and Diane King.

Serving on the troop committee are: Mrs. C. H. Bird, Mrs. Ivy Faulk, Mrs. Lucien Branch, and Mrs. J. E. Dupuy.

It hardly seems possible, but Christmas will be here before another column, so — MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

Burgess-Fife

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Bennett-Brewer

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Troop 43 had an all day hike on a recent Saturday with their leaders, Mrs. T. W. King and Mrs. Walter Hill. They planted bulbs earlier in the season and are planning to take them to shut ins for Christmas. The girls have chosen badges to work on, including outdoor badges, cat and dog, magic carpet, don't know what else.

These girls have been asked to sing carols at the party given by the Gray Ladies at the Adams Street home for men tomorrow. They will be joined in this project by some of the girls fom Troop 29. According to Yvonne Huckabee, who has practiced with them, they sing very well indeed. For several years Troop 10 did this particular service. Now Troops 43 and 29 are looking forward to the party.

Registered in Troop 43 are the following girls: Linda Bird, Kay Branch, Charlene Cascio, Lenora Carso, Brenda Cobb, Bonnie Dupuy, Eileen Ewing, Alma Faulk, Pat Ford, Sue Hill, Susie Quillen, Lynn Smith, Lea Thompson, Jan West and Diane King.

Serving on the troop committee are: Mrs. C. H. Bird, Mrs. Ivy Faulk, Mrs. Lucien Branch, and Mrs. J. E. Dupuy.

It hardly seems possible, but Christmas will be here before another column, so — MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

Burgess-Fife

Of interest to friends in north Louisiana is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Pansy Jane Fife to Garland Burgess of Lubbock, Texas. Mrs. Burgess is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Fife, formerly of Rayville but now residing in Lynwood, Calif., where the ceremony was performed. Mr. and Mrs. Burgess are making their home in Dallas, Texas.

Bennett-Brewer

In the chapel of the Methodist church in Rayville, Mrs. Alice Brewer became the bride of Ned Bennett of Chase. The Reverend John F. Kilpatrick performed the ceremony in the afternoon of December 5 before members of the two families and a few close friends. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett are making their home in Chase.

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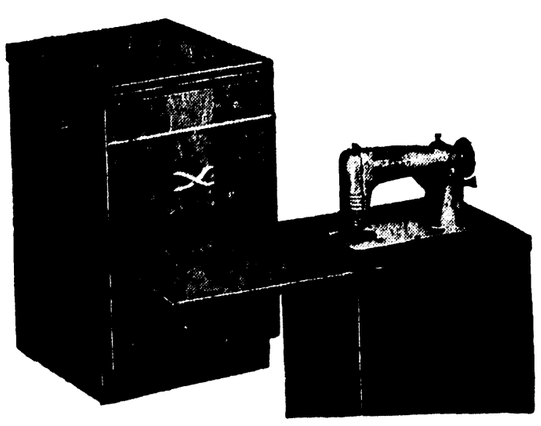


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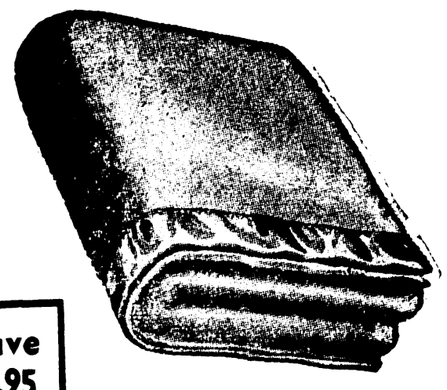
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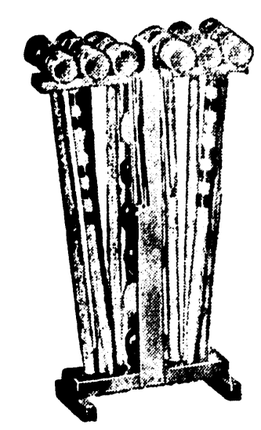


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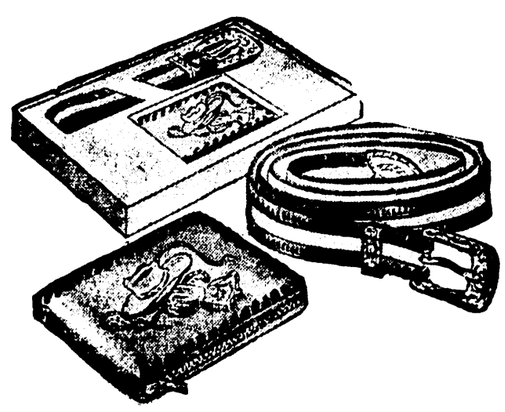
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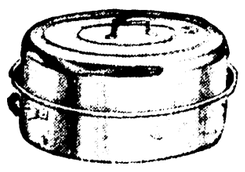
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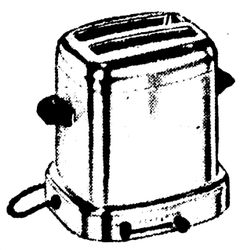
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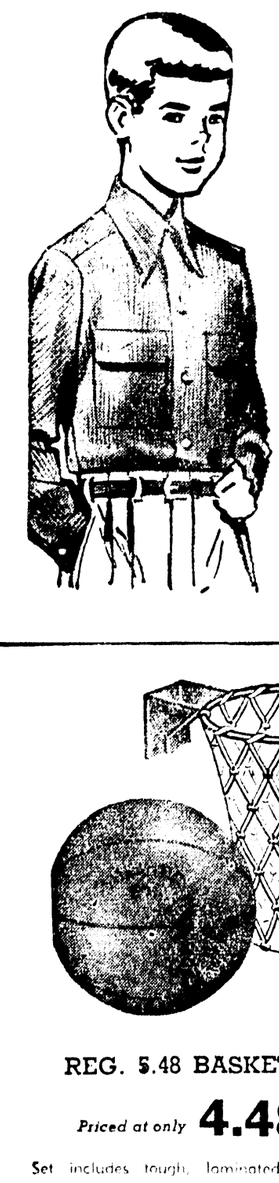
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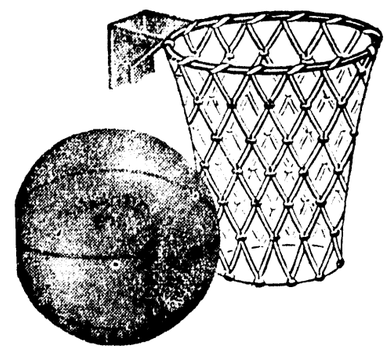
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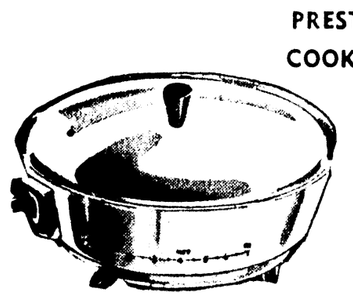
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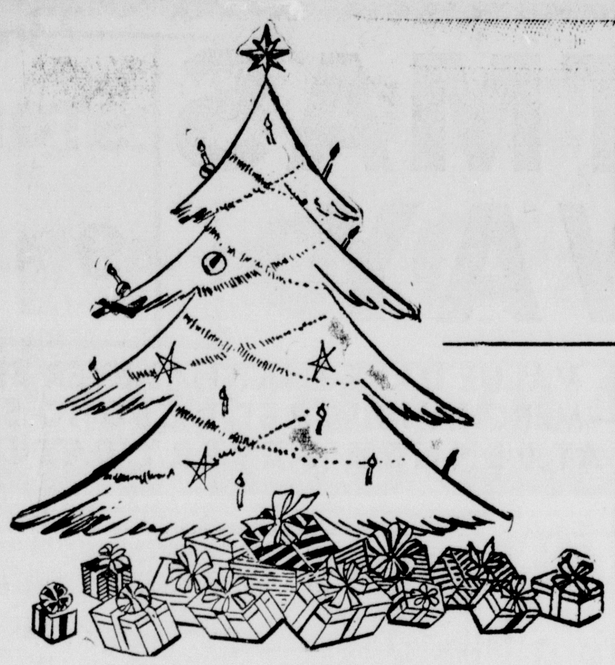


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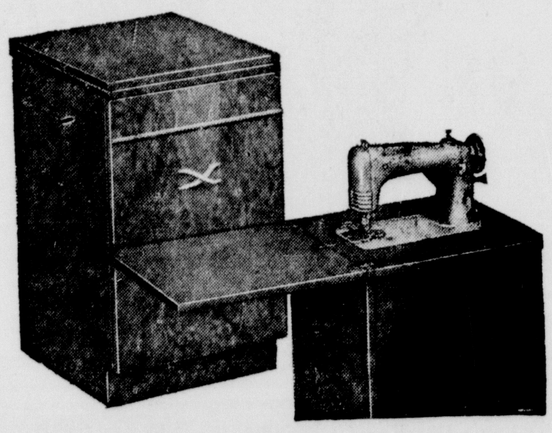


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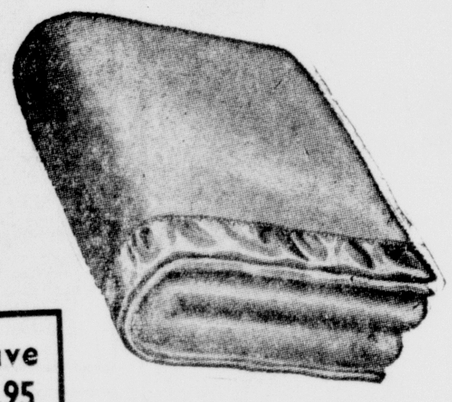
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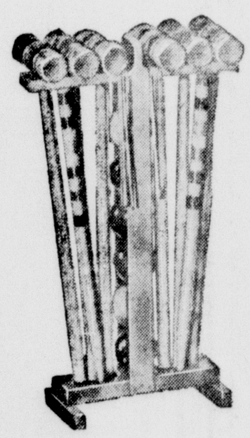


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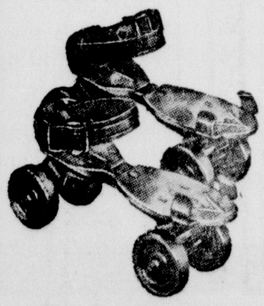


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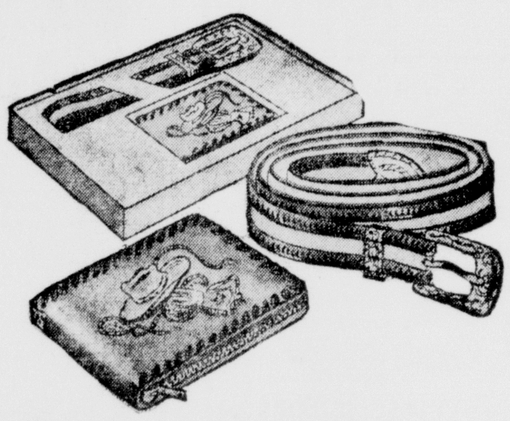
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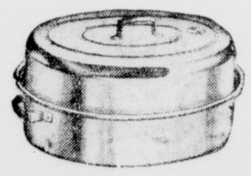
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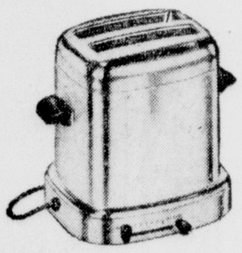
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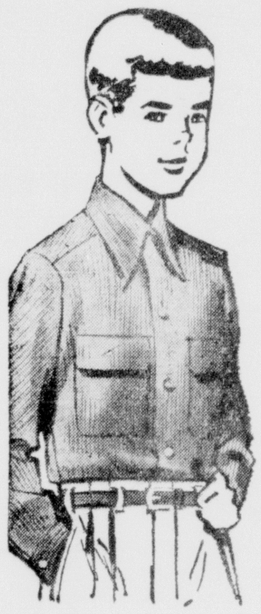
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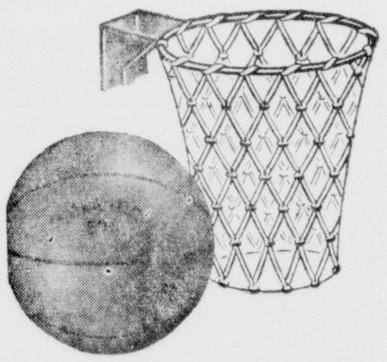
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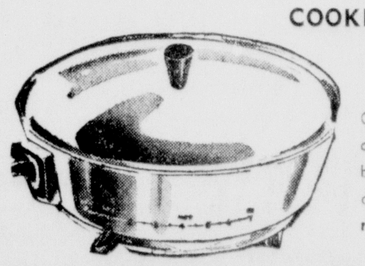
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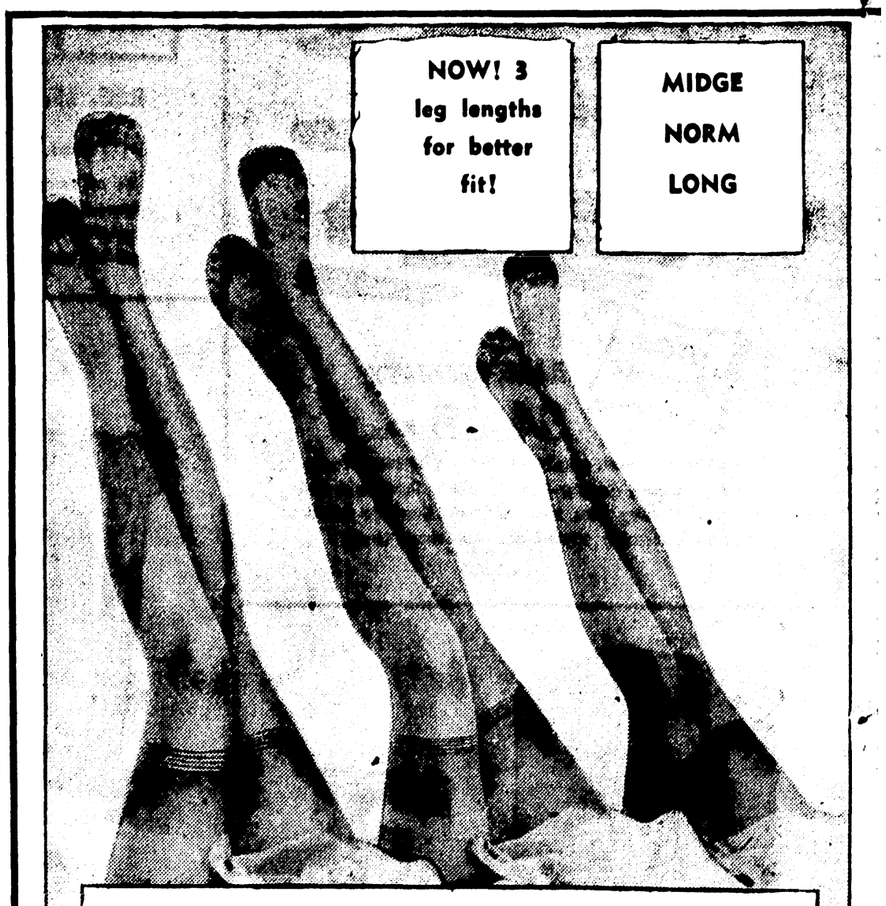


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Stratford-Sullivan Vows Exchanged In Helena, Ark.

Beautiful was the wedding scene Saturday afternoon when Miss Clair Jean Sullivan, daughter of Mrs. Irene Tardy Sullivan, became the bride of Charles Roland Stratford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stratford of Monroe, La.

The ceremony, a social event at 5 in the afternoon at the First Baptist Church, Helena, was solemnized in a setting of blush pink gladioli and chrysanthemums in the glowing light of myriads of pink tapers, by the Rev. Wilson Deese, pastor of the Baptist Church, West Helena.

Mrs. Kenneth McElduff presided at the organ and played a program of nuptial music including "O Perfect Love," "Because," and "I Love You Truly." The traditional wedding marches were used. She accompanied Miss Norma Sue Ragsdale who sang "O Promise Me," and following the benediction, "The Lord's Prayer," by Mallotte.



MR. AND MRS. CHARLES ROLAND STRATFORD

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Ralph Tardy. She wore an exquisite wedding gown, by Marie of Pandora Original, fashioned of lustrous blush satin and tulle, the moulded bodice cut on long, classically simple lines, featuring a lovely boat neckline accented by a deep fold of satin, self covered buttons fastened the lily tapered sleeves. The bridal contour waistline dipped into a sumptuous tulle skirt, clusters of tiny pearls and iridescents highlighted the scattered flowers beautifully embroidered on the skirt. A flowing cathedral train completed the exquisite gown. From a band of encrusted pearls and iridescents fell her fingertip veil of imported blush illusion. She carried a cascade bouquet of snow white gardenias, and around her neck was a single strand of pearls, the gift of the groom.

Miss Dale Tardy was maid of honor, Miss Ann Sullivan, Junior Maid.

Bridesmaids included Miss Anne Stratford, sister of the groom, Miss Eloise Spinks and Miss Laura Jean Griffin, cousins of the bride, Miss Ann Choate, Miss Mary Ann Murdock and Miss Gloria Polk. The maid of honor wore a costume of pastel blue satin, ballerina length, with a full flared skirt and styled along princess lines. A narrow band of matching material edged the top of the fitted bodice with which she wore a detachable shrug. The other attendants costumes were of a lovely shade of pink, identical in design. Their close fitting hats were of satin, encrusted with pearls, and their flowers were cascades of cerise pink carnations.

Charles A. Stratford was his son's best man. Ushers included Hugh Tardy and Robert Tardy, uncles of the bride, Danny Sullivan and Donald Stewart of Monroe, La. Kent Shreeve and Bob Averwater of Memphis.

Mrs. Sullivan, mother of the bride wore a costume of blue lace and net over taffeta with matching accessories and a purple throated orchid on her shoulder. Mrs. Stratford was attired in pink lace over taffeta with an orchid corsage. Mrs. S. W. Tardy, the bride's grandmother, wore dusty rose lace sequin trimmed, with an orchid corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of Mrs. S. W. Tardy, which was decorated with chrysanthemums and other fall flowers. Miss Helen Meek and Mrs. Bob Tardy greeted the guests at the door.

The bridal couple, their parents, Mrs. S. W. Tardy and their attendants formed the receiving line in the double parlors.

The bride's table, overlaid with billowy pink organdy over taffeta, was centered with pink chrysanthemums and lighted with pink tapers in silver candelabra. The tiered wedding cake was topped with a tiny bride and groom.

Mrs. Floyd Curtis and Mrs. Victor Shreeve served cake; Mrs. Barney Sugg and Mrs. Roy Nance served punch, and the silver coffee service was presided over by Mrs. Julian Tardy and Mrs. Renna Tardy. Also serving were Mrs. John Deckleman and Mrs. Eugene Porter. Further assisting were Miss Jean Read, Miss June Gayle Montgomery, Miss Peggy Howe, Miss Betty Tappan, Miss Phyllis Higgins, Mrs. John Sheffield, Mrs. J. T. Murdock, Mrs. L. E. Mabie, Mrs. Guy Davidson, Mrs. Ben Huffman, Mrs. H. T. Spinks, Mrs. Hugh Tardy, Mrs. Ralph Tardy and Miss Evelyn Tardy. The exquisite array of wedding gifts was on display in the library.

Out Of Town Guests

Out of town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Stratford, Danny Sullivan and Donald Stewart of Monroe; Miss K. Stratford of Toronto, Canada; Mrs. Owen Joyner and Mrs. Sarah Frances Miller of Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Julian Tardy and son Jimmy and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Tardy, Jr., of North Little Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Huffman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Davidson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Berbon Deckleman of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. John Deckelman and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Sullivan of Wabash and Wellborn Jacks of Shreveport, La.

The bride's traveling costume was an Arlene Norman original two piece suit of brown tweed with which she wore a gold colored blouse and matching accessories. She pinned a purple orchid on her shoulder.

Rehearsal Party

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Tardy and Miss Dale Tardy entertained Friday evening with a rehearsal supper at Green Gables, where lovely fall flowers were used in the decorations.

Serving were Mrs. S. W. Tardy, Sr., Mrs. Stratford, mother of the groom, and Mrs. Irene Sullivan.

From Green Gables the group went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tardy for a social hour.

Wedding Breakfast

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Shreeve and Kent Shreeve entertained Saturday with a wedding breakfast at the Shreeve home on 4th Street, complimenting Mr. Stratford and his charming bride-elect.

The traditional color scheme of green and white was used in the decorations of the living room and the buffet table from which the delicious viands were served. Gorgeous white flowers in a silver bowl centered the table where Miss Gloria Polk and Miss Mary Ann Murdock served.

The guest list was composed of the wedding party and the immediate relatives, including those from out of town.

Chancel Choir Will Present 'Hail Messiah'

The Chancel Choir of the First Baptist Church of Monroe, under the direction of Mr. Dale B. Martha, will render its annual Christmas Cantata during the evening services at 7:30 p.m. tonight. This year the presentation is entitled "Hail Messiah" by Ira B. Wilson. It presents the story of the Nativity in a beautifully simple manner. This particular cantata was chosen because it is believed that its simplicity will appeal to more people than any other cantata the choir has given in previous years. The public is invited to attend this inspirational sermon in song.

Woman's Benefit Association Has Christmas Party

The Woman's Benefit Association Review No. 11 held their annual Christmas banquet at a local restaurant this week and installed the newly elected officers.

Festive Christmas arrangements of pink and silver decorated the dining room tables. A Christmas tree and other holiday arrangements were attractively placed in the dining room. Each guest's place was marked by a Christmas corsage made by Mildred Lucky.

An inspiring Christmas story was told by the Rev. Lea Joiner, after which Mrs. Julia Nettles gave an enjoyable reading.

At the conclusion of the program, the members had a surprise miscellaneous shower for bride-elect Mary Nastasi.

Members and guests enjoying the occasion were: Miss Barbara Frangenberg, Mrs. Julia Smith, Miss Helene Mobley, Mrs. Ola Mobley, Mrs. Myrtle Warner, Mrs. Estelle Brantley, Mrs. Mary Lou Shaughnessy, Miss Mary Nastasi, Mrs. Lena Whittington, Mrs. Callie Arant, Mrs. Myrtle Stubbs, Mrs. Marguerite McCoy, Miss Edith Miller, Mrs. Joann Elaine Hislop, Mrs. Verna LaScalia, Mrs. Ruby Hunt, Mrs. Monico.

Miss Fussell Becomes Bride Of Dr. Earle

The wedding of Miss Jimmie Louise Fussell, daughter of Mrs. J. P. Fussell and the late Mr. J. P. Fussell of Coushatta, and Dr. Brashear Earle, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Earle of Winnsboro was solemnized on Sunday, December 12 at the Covenant Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Wayne W. Gray officiated.

Relatives and a few close friends attended the ceremony.

After a wedding trip to the Ozarks, the couple will reside in Monroe.

Your family will get up for breakfast in a hurry if they know golden-brown blue-berry pancakes are coming off the griddle! Use frozen blueberries for these winter pancakes and serve with hot maple or maple-flavored syrup.

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METAL SMOKER	$ 6.95
LANE CEDAR CHEST	$ 49.95
FRIGIDAIRE WASHER	$229.95
MAPLE BUNK BED	$149.95
TELEPHONE SETS	$ 17.95
CONTOUR CHAIRS	$ 49.95
MAPLE CRICKET CHAIR	$ 19.95
MAHOGANY 2-TIER TABLES	$ 15.95
MAHOGANY 3-TIER TABLES	$ 24.95
MAHOGANY DRUM TABLE	$ 23.50
WINDSOR ROCKER	$ 24.95
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MAHOGANY CORNER SHELF	$ 27.50
MAHOGANY BOOKCASE	$ 39.95
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PLASTIC PULLUP CHAIRS	$ 36.50
MODERN TABLE LAMP	$ 5.95
PLASTIC PLATFORM ROCKER	$ 29.95
STREIT LOUNGE CHAIR, OTTOMAN	$ 89.50
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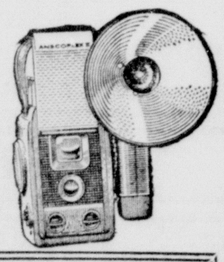
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Stratford-Sullivan Vows Exchanged In Helena, Ark.

Beautiful was the wedding scene Saturday afternoon when Miss Clair Jean Sullivan, daughter of Mrs. Irene Tardy Sullivan, became the bride of Charles Roland Stratford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stratford of Monroe, La.

The ceremony, a social event at 5 in the afternoon at the First Baptist Church, Helena, was solemnized in a setting of blush pink gladioli and chrysanthemums in the glowing light of myriads of pink tapers, by the Rev. Wilson Deese, pastor of the Baptist Church, West Helena.

Mrs. Kenneth McElduff presided at the organ and played a program of nuptial music including "O Perfect Love," "Because," and "I Love You Truly." The traditional wedding marches were used. She accompanied Miss Norma Sue Ragsdale who sang "O Promise Me," and following the benediction, "The Lord's Prayer," by Mallotte.



MR. AND MRS. CHARLES ROLAND STRATFORD

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Ralph Tardy. She wore an exquisite wedding gown, by Marie of Pandora Original, fashioned of lustrous blush satin and tulle, the moulded bodice cut on long, classically simple lines, featuring a lovely boat neckline accented by a deep fold of satin, self covered buttons fastened the lily tapered sleeves. The bridal contour waistline dipped into a sumptuous tulle skirt, clusters of tiny pearls and iridescents highlighted the scattered flowers beautifully embroidered on the skirt. A flowing cathedral train completed the exquisite gown. From a band of encrusted pearls and iridescents fell her fingertip veil of imported blush illusion. She carried a cascade bouquet of snow white gardenias, and around her neck was a single strand of pearls, the gift of the groom.

Miss Dale Tardy was maid of honor, Miss Ann Sullivan, Junior Maid.

Bridesmaids included Miss Anne Stratford, sister of the groom, Miss Eloise Spinks and Miss Laura Jean Griffin, cousins of the bride, Miss Ann Choate, Miss Mary Ann Murdock and Miss Gloria Polk. The maid of honor wore a costume of pastel blue satin, ballerina length, with a full flared skirt and styled along princess lines. A narrow band of matching material edged the top of the fitted bodice with which she wore a detachable shrug. The other attendants costumes were of a lovely shade of pink, identical in design. Their close fitting hats were of satin, encrusted with pearls, and their flowers were cascades of cerise pink carnations.

Charles A. Stratford was his son's best man. Ushers included Hugh Tardy and Robert Tardy, uncles of the bride, Danny Sullivan and Donald Stewart of Monroe, La. Kent Shreeve and Bob Averwater of Memphis.

Mrs. Sullivan, mother of the bride wore a costume of blue lace and net over taffeta with matching accessories and a purple throated orchid on her shoulder. Mrs. Stratford was attired in pink lace over taffeta with an orchid corsage. Mrs. S. W. Tardy, the bride's grandmother, wore dusty rose lace sequin trimmed, with an orchid corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of Mrs. S. W. Tardy, which was decorated with chrysanthemums and other fall flowers. Miss Helen Meek and Mrs. Bob Tardy greeted the guests at the door.

The bridal couple, their parents, Mrs. S. W. Tardy and their attendants formed the receiving line in the double parlors.

The bride's table, overlaid with billowy pink organdy over taffeta, was centered with pink chrysanthemums and lighted with pink tapers in silver candelabra. The tiered wedding cake was topped with a tiny bride and groom.

Mrs. Floyd Curtis and Mrs. Victor Shreeve served cake; Mrs. Barney Sugg and Mrs. Roy Nance served punch, and the silver coffee service was presided over by Mrs. Julian Tardy and Mrs. Renna Tardy. Also serving were Mrs. John Deckleman and Mrs. Eugene Porter. Further assisting were Miss Jean Read, Miss June Gayle Montgomery, Miss Peggy Howe, Miss Betty Tappan, Miss Phyllis Higgins, Mrs. John Sheffield, Mrs. J. T. Murdock, Mrs. L. E. Mable, Mrs. Guy Davidson, Mrs. Ben Huffman, Mrs. H. T. Spinks, Mrs. Hugh Tardy, Mrs. Ralph Tardy and Miss Evelyn Tardy. The exquisite array of wedding gifts was on display in the library.

Out Of Town Guests

Out of town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Stratford, Danny Sullivan and Donald Stewart of Monroe; Miss K. Stratford of Toronto, Canada; Mrs. Owen Joyner and Mrs. Sarah Frances Miller of Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Julian Tardy and son Jimmy and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Tardy, Jr., of North Little Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Huffman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Davidson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Berbon Deckleman of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. John Deckelman and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Sullivan of Wabash and Wellborn Jacks of Shreveport, La.

The bride's traveling costume was an Arlene Norman original two piece suit of brown tweed with which she wore a gold colored blouse and matching accessories. She pinned a purple orchid on her shoulder.

Rehearsal Party

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Tardy and Miss Dale Tardy entertained Friday evening with a rehearsal supper at Green Gables, where lovely fall flowers were used in the decorations.

Serving were Mrs. S. W. Tardy, Sr., Mrs. Stratford, mother of the groom, and Mrs. Irene Sullivan.

From Green Gables the group went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tardy for a social hour.

Wedding Breakfast

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Shreeve and Kent Shreeve entertained Saturday with a wedding breakfast at the Shreeve home on 4th Street, complimenting Mr. Stratford and his charming bride-elect.

The traditional color scheme of green and white was used in the decorations of the living room and the buffet table from which the delicious viands were served. Gorgeous white flowers in a silver bowl centered the table where Miss Gloria Polk and Miss Mary Ann Murdock served.

The guest list was composed of the wedding party and the immediate relatives, including those from out of town.

Chancel Choir Will Present 'Hail Messiah'

The Chancel Choir of the First Baptist Church of Monroe, under the direction of Mr. Dale B. Martha, will render its annual Christmas Cantata during the evening services at 7:30 p.m. tonight. This year the presentation is entitled "Hail Messiah" by Ira B. Wilson. It presents the story of the Nativity in a beautifully simple manner. This particular cantata was chosen because it is believed that its simplicity will appeal to more people than any other cantata the choir has given in previous years. The public is invited to attend this inspirational sermon in song.

Woman's Benefit Association Has Christmas Party

The Woman's Benefit Association Review No. 11 held their annual Christmas banquet at a local restaurant this week and installed the newly elected officers.

Festive Christmas arrangements of pink and silver decorated the dining room tables. A Christmas tree and other holiday arrangements were attractively placed in the dining room. Each guest's place was marked by a Christmas corsage made by Mildred Lucky.

An inspiring Christmas story was told by the Rev. Lea Joiner, after which Mrs. Julia Nettles gave an enjoyable reading.

At the conclusion of the program, the members had a surprise miscellaneous shower for bride-elect Mary Nastasi.

Members and guests enjoying the occasion were: Miss Barbara Frangenberg, Mrs. Julia Smith, Miss Helene Mobley, Mrs. Ola Mobley, Mrs. Myrtle Warner, Mrs. Estelle Brantley, Mrs. Mary Lou Shaughnessy, Miss Mary Nastasi, Mrs. Lena Whittington, Mrs. Callie Arant, Mrs. Myrtle Stubbs, Mrs. Marguerite McCoy, Miss Edith Miller, Mrs. Joann Elaine Hislop, Mrs. Verna LaScalia, Mrs. Ruby Hunt, Mrs. Monico.

Miss Fussell Becomes Bride Of Dr. Earle

The wedding of Miss Jimmie Louise Fussell, daughter of Mrs. J. P. Fussell and the late Mr. J. P. Fussell of Coushatta, and Dr. Brashear Earle, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Earle of Winnsboro was solemnized on Sunday, December 12 at the Covenant Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Wayne W. Gray officiated.

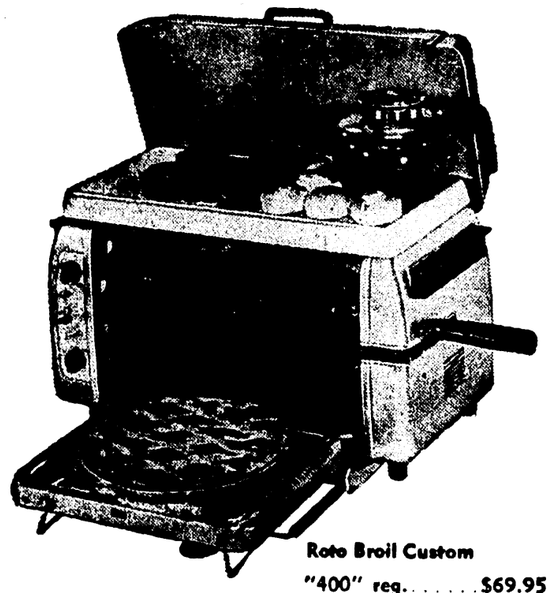
Relatives and a few close friends attended the ceremony.

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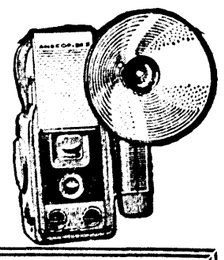
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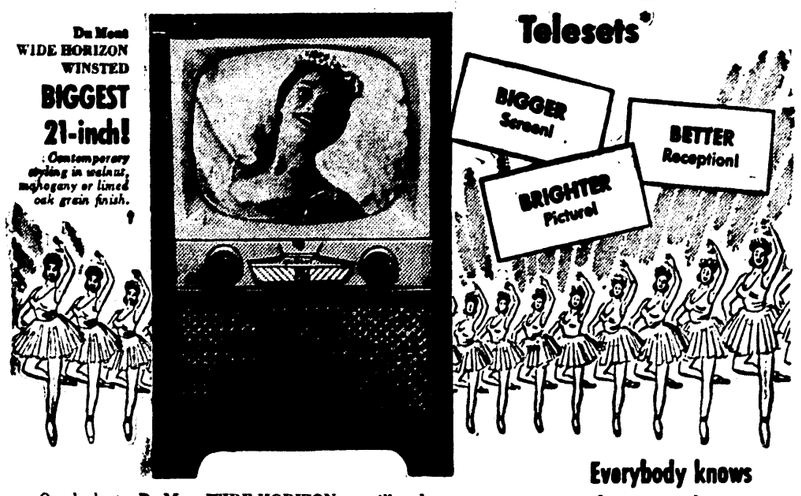
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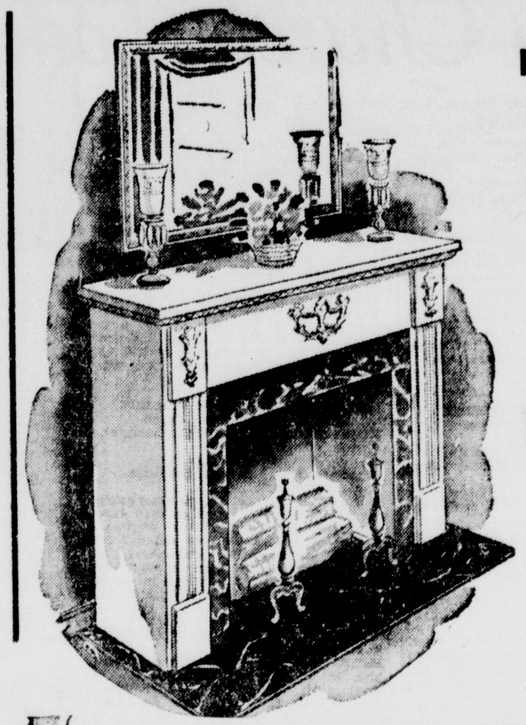
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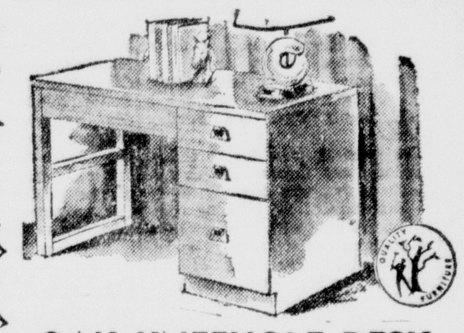


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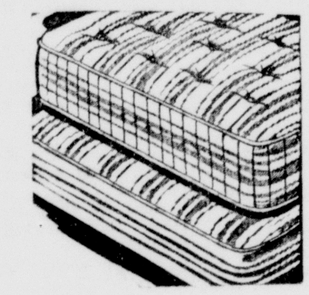
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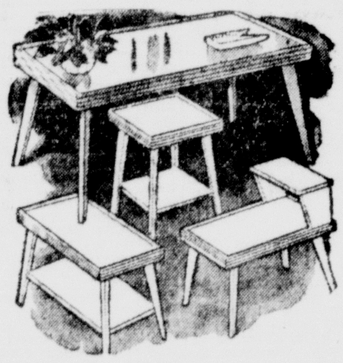


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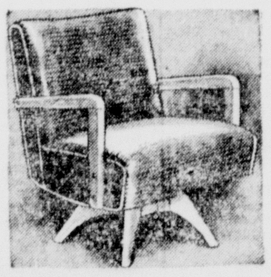


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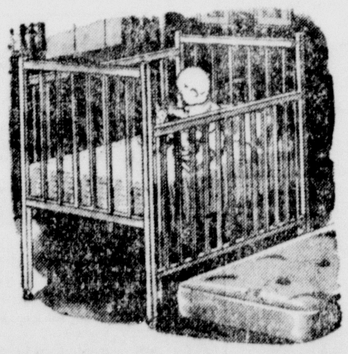
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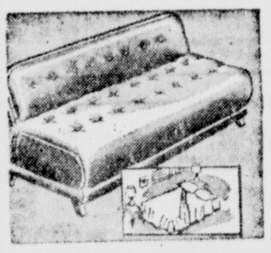


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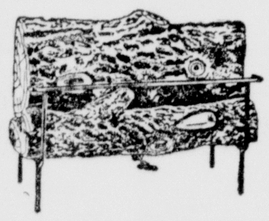
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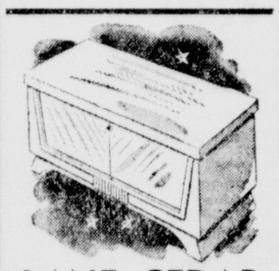
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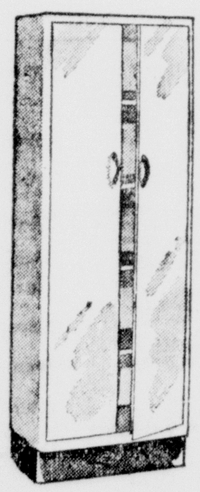
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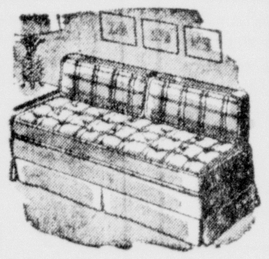
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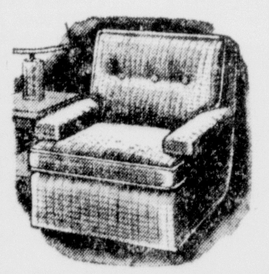
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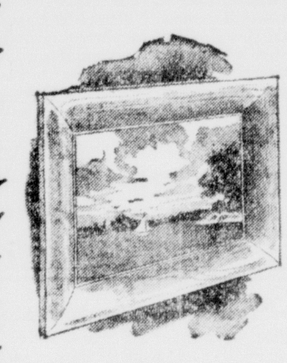
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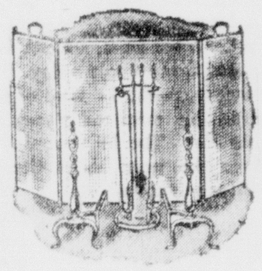


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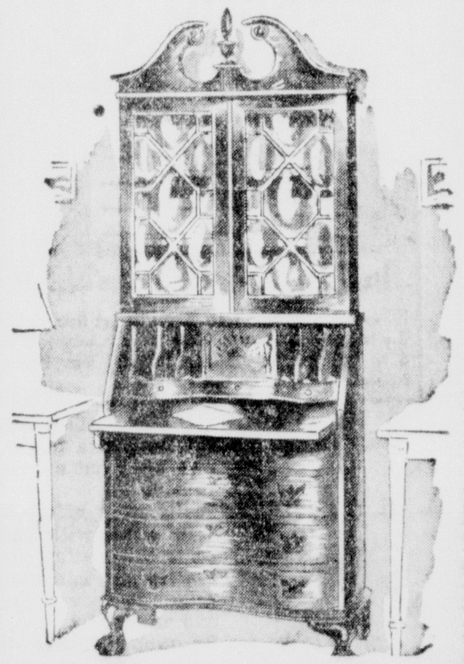


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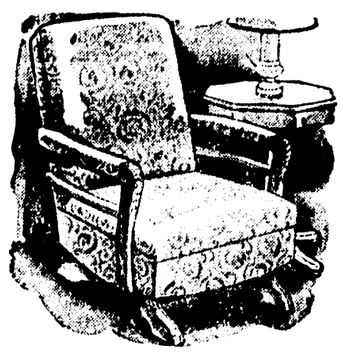


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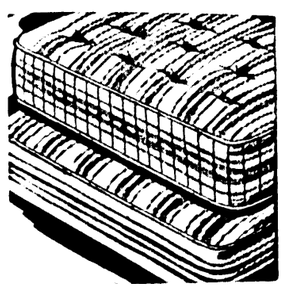
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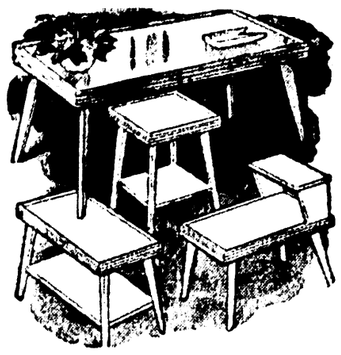
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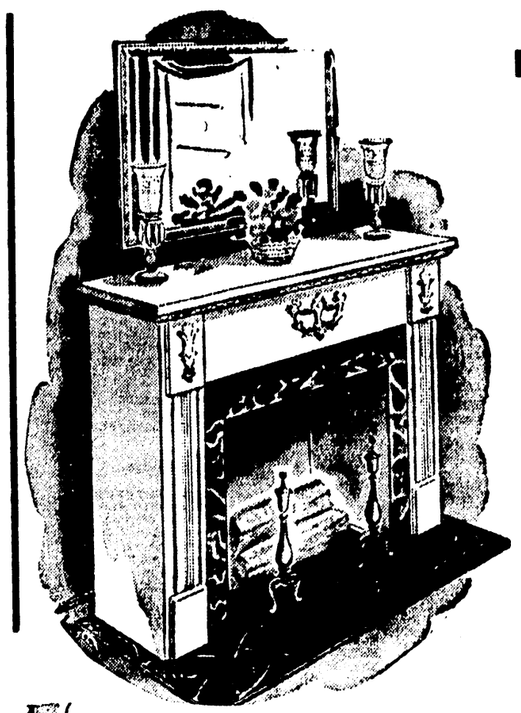
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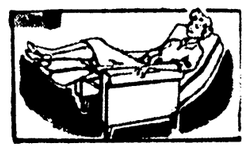
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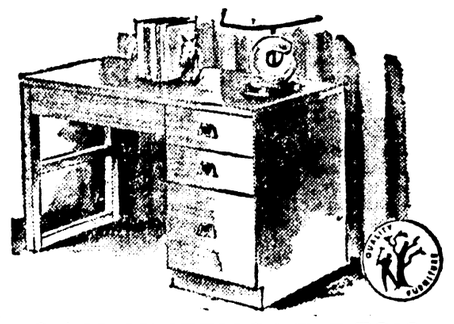
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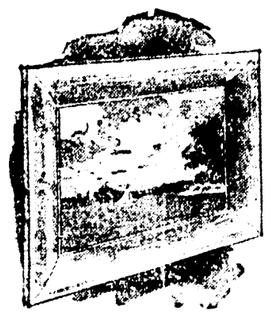
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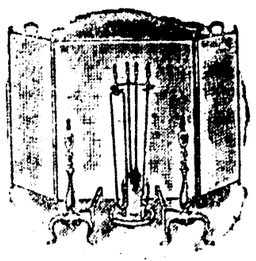
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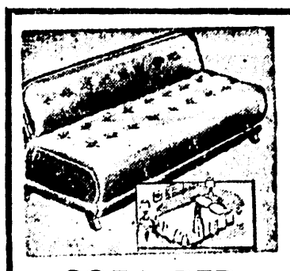


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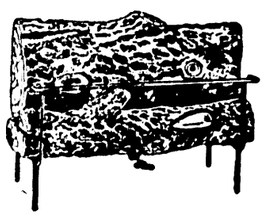


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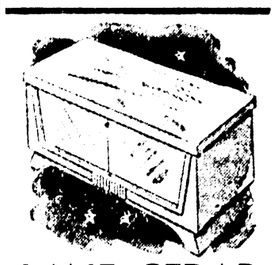
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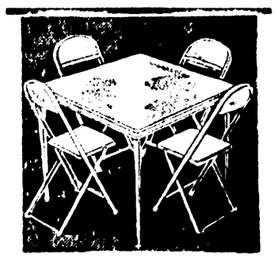
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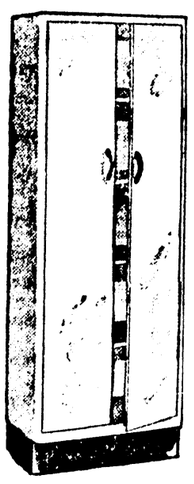
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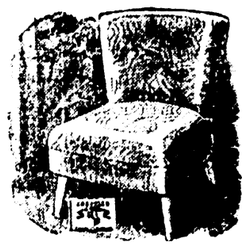
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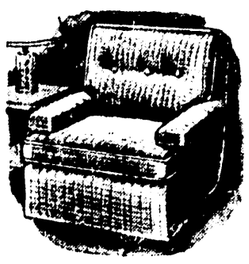
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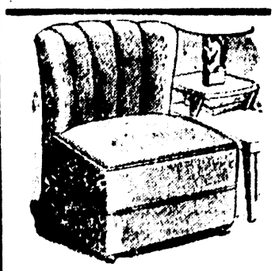
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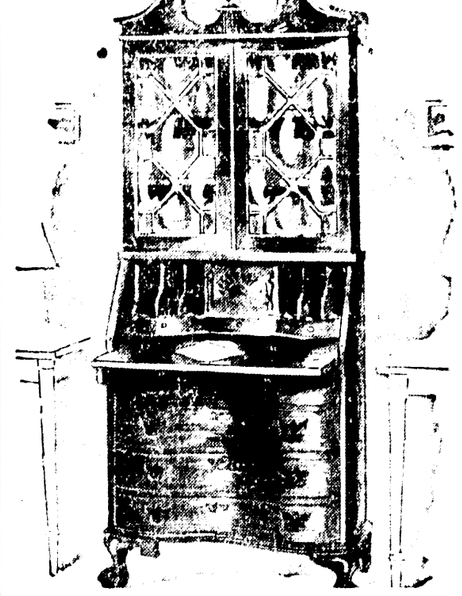
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So. Side Will Use Its New Unit Today

Today has been long anticipated by the friends and members of the Southside Methodist Church for the third unit of a four unit plant for this church is to be placed in use for the first time.

The church as organized July 13, 1952 and held its first service in the Missouri Pacific Booster Hall, with 125 charter members. Immediately a church school was organized as well as a Woman's Society of Christian Service, choir and the commission of education, missions, evangelism, and finance were organized. The first service was held in the present building August 31st of 1952. This was a 40 ft. x 60 ft. building and has been used for all worship services since that time. The construction was done by W C. Salley Company.

In August of 1953 a parsonage was built adjacent to the church. By this time, the church had purchased two more lots, making five in a desirable section of south Monroe. The parsonage was built by Greater Monroe Homes.

Last July it was voted to erect a chapel that would have 300 as seating capacity.

In its two and one-half years of existence the membership has passed the 300 mark, and all phases of church work has made great strides. Today there are three choirs, the chancel, men's and youth's. There is an active WSCS, Men's Club and Sunday school.

The original plan for this new building was drawn by C. E. Vaughan, Jr., who has served as the chairman of the building committee. Working with him has been the chairman of the official board, Pete Medak; chairman of the board of trustees, B. A. Hynum; church school superintendent, W. P. Stewart, Jr.; president of the Men's Club, J. P. Pettit, and now C. L. Harris, president of the WSCS has been Mrs. W. O Danzey; chairman of the committee on finance, Ray E. Cromwell; chairman of interior decorating, Lloyd Barnett; chairman of lighting and ventilation, J. R. Foley; chancel committee, Walter Weber, also director of our chancel choir; grounds committee, C. R. Clay, also director of the men's choir and chairman of the organ committee; R. L. Jones, who directs the youth choir; construction committee, Ben A. Hynum, chairman and for publicity, F. S. Nolan working with the interior decorating committee has been the altar guild, with Miss Pearl Le Fevre and Mrs. M. R. Johnston as leaders. Working with each of these chairmen have been many loyal men and women willing to serve and asking for no recognition.

The new building has been erected at a cost of $20,000 and the church now has property that is valued at $75,000 on which there is an indebtedness of $21,000.

Reverend Joyner expresses her appreciation to the builder, W. C. Salley, for a good job performed and to all who aided in making a success of this new church.

The morning service will be held in the new sanctuary at 10:45 a. m. today and at noon dinner will be served in the fellowship hall. The morning message will be brought by Rev. James T. Harris, district superintendent and Mrs. Harris will sing a solo.

In the afternoon at 2:30 there will be a worship service and group singing. We hope those not able to attend in the morning will come for this service. There will be a fellowship hour after church.

At 7:30 p. m. the three choirs of our church will present a program of Christmas music. At the close of the service a candlelight service will be held.

Christmas Program At Nazarene Church

The Williams Memorial Church of the Nazarene, presents its regular Christmas program, this Sunday morning at 9:45. Henry Alson Smith, Sunday School superintendent, extends an invitation to the children, parents, and friends of the church to attend this special service. Mrs. Alson Smith has charge of the children's part of this program.

The church offers to all a friendly welcome to be present.

Drama Of Faith To Be Presented Today

"O Come To My Heart," a simple drama of hope, faith and love will be presented at 5:30 this afternoon in the First Presbyterian Church. Casting for the play is from the young people of the church. The play is sponsored by the Women of the Church.

Preceding the play, at 5 o'clock, a special Christmas - time infant baptismal service will be held.

Put Christ Above All Is Service Topic

A special worship service of Christmas music and of the Christmas message will be held in the sanctuary of the First Presbyterian Church on December 19 at 11 o'clock. The music is under the direction of Dr. Harry Lemert and the organist, Leon Hammonds. This worship service is in keeping with the others of the First Presbyterian Church at this season of the year and is designed to put Christ back into Christmas. The order of worship is as follows:

Prelude, "Intermezzo," Mascagni.

Call to Worship, "Ter Sanctus," Cruickshank.

Carol, No. 57, "Joy To the World," Mason.

Invocation, The Lord's Prayer, Gloria Patri.

The Christmas Message in Scripture and in music:

"Break Forth Oh Beauteous Heavenly Light," Bach—The choir.

The Prophecy of Christ's Coming, Isaiah 9: 2-7, The Minister.

"Lo, How A Rose," Proetorius—The Choir.

Announcement of the Birth to Joseph, Matthew 1:18-23 — The Minister.

"Oh, Come Immanuel," Traditional, The Choir.

The Rejoicing of Mary, Luke 1: 46-55, The Minister.

"My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord," Protheroe — Betty Spurlock, soprano soloist.

The Birth of Christ, Luke 2:1-14, The Minister.

"Glory Be Unto God," Saint Saeus, The Choir.

Reception of new members.

Offertory, "Chorale," Bach.

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication.

Sermon, "Christ and Love," the minister.

Carol, No. 59, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," Mendelssohn.

Benediction.

Choral Response, "Silent Night, Holy Night," Gruber.

Postlude, "Joy To the World," Handel.

Christian Church In Yule Event

A service of Christmas carols and candles will be held at the First Christian Church, Sunday evening, at 7:30. The order of worship is as follows:

Organ Prelude. Processional hymn: "O Come, All Ye Faithful." The Call to Worship. A prophecy: Mankind Yearning for Light. Isaiah 9:2-7. Prayer. Congregation. Carol: "Joy to the World." The Annunciation. Luke 1:26-33. Carol: "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear." The Fulfillment. Luke 2: 1-17. The Christmas Prayer. Minister. Carol: "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

The offering of white gifts. (For the Good Fellows.) The Anthem. Christmas Meditation. Minister. Carol: "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing." The Service of Lights. Carol: "Silent Night! Holy Night!"

Prayer of Dedication The benediction. The postlude.

Each worshipper will receive a candle upon entering the sanctuary and it will be used in the service of lights.

Come To Church Today

BAPTIST

GOOD HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
Route 4, Box 121
West Monroe

Rev. Wayne Carpenter, pastor.
John Oldenburg, music director.
Mary Jane Dreasler, organist.
Sunday school, 9:50 a.m., O. B. Farrish, superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:50 a.m.
Training Union, 6:30 p.m. G. W. Jordan, director.
Brotherhood meeting, 6:30 p.m. T. F. McCorkle, president.
Evening worship, 7:30 p.m.
The W. M. U. will met at the church Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. for the Royal Service program. All of the ladies are urged to attend this interesting program.
The Youth organizations begin at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday. Regular mid-week prayer service will begin at 7:45 p.m. The choir will practice at 8:15 p.m.
Everyone is cordially invited to come worship with us.

EDGEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
501 Travis, West Monroe

O. P. Bazer, Pastor.
B. C. Harper, Music Director.
Mrs. O. P. Bazer, Pianist.
9:45 a.m., Sunday School, D. E. Walker, superintendent.
10:50, Morning Worship, Pastor's sermon topic: "The Person of Christ," Matthew 1:18-25.
6:30 p.m., Training Union, R. D. Baker, Director.
7:30 p.m., Christmas Pageant-Cantata entitled, "The Glory of the Lord."
Monday: 7:00 p.m., Street Christmas Carol sing on Trenton St. in West Monroe sponsored by Trenton Association.
Tuesday, 3:00 p.m., Junior G. A.'s meet at church. 3:15 p.m., Intermediate G. A.'s meet at 214 Riggs with Mrs. Carter.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m., Teacher's and officer's meeting. 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting. 8:15 p.m. Choir practice.
We would like to invite everyone to our Christmas Pageant Cantata Sunday evening and to take this opportunity to wish you a very Merry Christmas! Go to the church of your choice this Lord's Day. Put Christ in your Christmas.

FAIR PARK BAPTIST CHRCH
White's Ferry Road
West Monroe

Rev. C. C. Martin, pastor.
Mr. Elza Smith, choir director.
Miss Eva Smith, pianist.
Sunday school, 10:00, Mr. Allen Brooks, Supt.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Training Union, 6:30, Mr. G. A. Alexander, director.
Christmas pageant will be presented at 7:30 instead of the evening worship service.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:00 to be followed by Christmas tree at 7:45

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTIST CHURCH
301 Sherrouse Avenue

T. Earl Ogg, pastor.
G. Wayne Buck, music - education director.
Sunday:
9:45 a.m. Sunday school: L. L. Price, superintendent
10:55 a.m. Worship hour. The pastor's message will be "Christmas Without Christ."
6:15 p.m. Training Union: Mack Cheely, director.
7:30 p.m. Worship hour. The choir will render Christmas Music and the Lottie Moon Christmas offering for Christ will be placed on the White Christmas tree.
Wednesday:
7:00 p.m. Teachers and officers' meeting.
7:45 p.m. Prayer service.
8:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

HIGHLAND PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
Roberts Ave.

C. B. Thompson, Pastor.
"A friendly church where friendly working people meet to worship."
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m., Sermon: "Jesus Christ and Christmas."
Training Union, 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m., "The Appearing of the World's Redeemer." A special Christmas program will be presented by the choir at the time of the evening sermon. The public is cordially invited to attend this special Christmas servic.
Tuesday: 9:30 a.m., W. M. U. meets at the church house.
Wednesday: 6:45 p.m., Teachers and officers meeting. 7:30 p.m., Old Fashioned Christmas party for the whole church. Treats for everyone. All are invited to this party. The Training Union under the direction of O. L. LaGrone is sponsoring this church party.
Highland Park Baptist Church is located on Roberts Ave. about seven blocks off the Loop Road.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
600 Plum St.

W. Leon Ivey, Pastor.
A cordial welcome awaits you in all the services of Temple Church. Why not celebrate Christmas right by worshipping in the church of your choice today.
Sunday school, 9:45.
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Training Union, 6:30.
Evening Worship, 7:30.
W. M. S. Christmas Party Monday, 7:30.
Choir Rehearsal Tuesday, 7:30.
GA, RA and Sunbeams Wednesday, 7:00.
Tacher's Meeting, Wednesday, 7:00.
Midweek Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:45.
SS Visitation all day Thursday.
Boy Scouts Christmas Party Friday, 7:30
Intermediate Christmas Party Saturday, 7:30.
The pastor will speak at both services this Lord's Day. His subject for the morning hour will be "The Christmas Message" and for the evening hour he will speak on "The Blessings of the Gospel."
If you do not have a church home in Monroe we will be glad to have you make Temple your church home.
Ride the Bernstein Park Bus to Temple.
The nursery is open for all services.

METHODIST

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson & Wood Streets
Monroe, La.

Rev. E. L. Johns, D. D., Minister
Rev. E. K. Means, D. D., Minister Emeritus.
You are cordially invited to the services on Christmas Sunday, Dec. 19th, as follows:
8:45 a.m., Early Communion.
9:30 a.m., Church School, G. E. Boggs, General Superintendent.
10:50 a.m., Morning worship, sermon, "The Christmas Spirit." The Chancel choir will sing the anthem, "Gloria — Angels We Have Heard on High" (Fred Waring).
5:30 p.m., Intermediate M. Y. F.
6:00 p.m., Senior M. Y. F.
6:30 p.m., Dramatic Christmas vesper, for the family, presented by the children's division, the Intermediate department, and the Chapel and Sanctuary choirs. The program follows:
Off-stage caroling, The Intermediate department. Narrator, Jimmy Leverett, Chapel choir; "Christ Was Born on Christmas Day," (14th Century carol); Primary Dept., "Come Softly, Tread Gently" (German folk song), "In Little Bethlehem," (Wilmot); Sanctuary choir: "Angels from the Realm of Glory" (Smart), "O Holy Night" (Adams); The Visit of the Shepherds: Mary, Peggy Pierce; Joseph Duncan Bule; Shepherds, George Riser, Mike McCready, John Joyce, Bob Harrell, James Hunt, John Frazer; Kindergarten Dept.: "Away in A Manger," (Muellen); Visit of the wise men: Don Andrews, Allen Trousdale, Frances Yeldell; Junior Dept.: "We Three Kings of Orient Are," (Hopkins); Narrator: "The Meaning of Christmas;" "Silent Night;" Procession of Gifts and offertory; Bendiction and postlude.
The special Christmas offerings are for the care of the little ones at the Methodist Home Hospital in New Orleans.
Nurseries for babies and small children under competent management are to be found in the Educational building.
The midnight Christmas Eve candlelight Communion Service will be held at 11:15 p.m. next Friday evening
All are welcome.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
North Second at Park Avenue
West Monroe

W. D. Milton, pastor.
6:00 p.m. Junior Vesper service, in social hall of the church.
6:30, p.m. Fellowship for the Primaries, Intermediates, Young Poeple and Adults.
Tuesday, December 21, 2:30 p.m. Program meeting of W. S. C. S., in church sanctuary.
7:30 p.m. Circles of Wesleyan Service Guild meet as follows: No. 1, to be announced. No. 2, Mrs. Kenneth Adams, 2514 Swan St.
Friday, December 24th, 8:45 a.m. Bdcst. from the church over KLIC, with Rev. Milton & Mrs. Jack Willis.
7:00 p.m. Special Christmas service.

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
401 Sherrouse Ave.
Monroe

Rev. Ralph Cain, Pastor.
Edwin C. Rowan, chairman, official board.
J. Herbert Walker, Church School Supt.,
C. B. Storms, Assistant Supt.
Mrs. Irene Nelson, Organist.
Mrs. Estelle Sanders, Adult Choir Director.
Mrs. E. M. Willis, Junior Choir Director.
Miss Louise Nelson, Youth Choir director.
9:45 o'clock, Church School, classes for all ages. Nursery for children beginning at one year.
11:00 o'clock, Morning Worship; Anthem: Adult Choir, "When Angels Sang of Peace" sung by the Adult Choir; Sermon; "Goodwill," pastor; Communion (first Sundays).
6:00 o'clock, Junior Fellowship and choir.
6:30 o'clock, Mthodist Youth Fellowship.
8 p.m. o'clock, Evening Worship Service, program of Christmas Music.
Memorial Methodist Church serves the Methodist students at Northeast Louisiana State College through the program of the Wesley Foundation, 105 College Avenue. Rev. Ralph Cain is the director; Mrs. H. E. Pfost, the house mother.
Students are invited to use the building for study, recreation, and worship. Noon day luncheons are held on Thursdays at 11:40 a.m.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Gordon and Dixie Avenue

Tillman A. Brown, pastor.
C. V. Fleming, Sunday School Supt.
A. M. Hobbs, chairman official board.
Homer Cook, music director.
Organist, Mrs. W. M. Cantrell and Miss Elaine Hesketh.
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a.m.
Evening fellowship, 6:00 p.m. for all MYF groups.
Evening worship, 7:30 p.m.
Recreation and fellowship for the young people following the evening worship service.
Tuesday, Boy Scouts will meet 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Mid-week prayer services, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, choir rehearsal, 7:00 p.m.
There will be a Christmas program given at the church beginning at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend this and all services of our church. There will be a fellowship hour following the program, every one is invited.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH
Lexington Avenue and Orrell

Benjamin Ray Oliphint, Ph.D., minister.
Church school: 9:30 a.m.
Worship service: 10:50 a.m.
Christmas Vesper service, 6:00 p.m.
Youth group: 6:30 p.m.
A nursery under competent supervision is available for pre - school children during church school and church services. We sincerely believe that you will find in St. Paul's a worshipful atmosphere, a friendly people, and religion so interpreted as to make it a vital force in daily living. We invite you and your family to worship with us today!

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

L. L. Yeager, pastor
M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.
Mrs. M. B. Hearne, Organist.
Services of the day begin with Sunday School at 9:45 There is a class for each age group.
Morning worship service, 10:50 to 11:50. Sermon subject, "The Author of Peace." Scripture, St. Luke 2:8-14.
Youth meetings at 6:30 p.m. All youth invited.
At the 7:30 evening hour, the choir will render the Christmas Story in prose and song. "King and Saviour," is the title of the rendition.
Mr. J. W. Patton director of the choir. Mrs. W. C. (Scottie) Buchanan, narrator, and Miss Rosemary Sones, pianist.
The Woman's Society of Christian Service is to meet Tuesday morning at 9:30
Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Eloise Hearne is to direct the service.
Choir rehearsal immediately after prayer service.
Wishing all a very "Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!"
"We are Wesleyan in teaching and belief!"

SOUTHSIDE METHODIST CHURCH
South Fourth at Temple Drive
Monroe

9:45 a.m. Church school for all ages
10:45 a.m. Morning worship
2:30 p.m. Devotional servic.
5:30 p.m. Youth choir.
6:00 p.m. Junior Fellowship.
6:30 p.m. Men's Choir rehearsal.
7:30 p.m. Musical program "Christmas In Song" presented by the three choirs, closing with a candlelighting service.
Monday: 7:00, p.m. Boy Scout meeting.
Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. Chancel choir rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. WSCS meeting and Christmas party.
Wednesday: 7:15 p.m. Prayer meeting.
Friday: 8:00 p.m. Candlelight communion service. 11:30 p.m. Candlelight communion service.
At the morning service, Rev. James T. Harris will bring the message.
At the evening service a program of Christmas music will be presented by the three choirs entitled "Christmas in Song."
Open house will be held throughout the day to those that would like to inspect the building.
A christening service for babies and small children will be held in the morning service.
Dinner will be servd in the church Fellowship Hall. We invite all of our friends to enjoy this with us.
A nursery is maintained at both the morning and evening services.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples of Christ)
St. John and Oak Sts.

R. T. Watson, Minister.
Mrs. F. O. Seymour, choir director.
Mrs. R. V. Wroten, Organist.
Church School at 9:45 a.m. The annual offering for our benevolent homes will be taken in the classes.
Worship at 10:50 a.m., "What Do You Want for Christmas?" will be the sermon theme.
Chi Rho and Christian Youth Fellowships at 5:30 p.m.
Worship at 7:30 p.m. This will be a service of Christmas carols and candles. A "white gifts" offering will be made for the Good Fellows.
Two nurseries are maintained each Sunday for pre-school age children.

TRINITY LUTHERAN

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
300 D'Arbonne Ave.

Arthur Betz, Pastor.
9:30 a.m., the church school. Children's lesson subject: "Good Will Toward Men."
Wm. Hochstetler will be in charge of the devotion.
10:45 a.m., The worship-service. Sermon subject for this Fourth Sunday in Advent: "Preparing Our Hearts For A Blessed Christmas." Organist: Mrs. Eloy Fominaya.
12:30 p.m., The Lutheran Hour over KLIC. Speaker: The Rev. Kenneth Hoffman, Cleveland, Ohio. Student choir, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Mo.
2:00 p.m., The Children's rehearsal of the Christmas Eve Order of Service.
Monday, 7:30 p.m., The Chapel Christmas Tree-trimming-get-to-gether followed by a social hour and lunch at the parish house.
Christmas Eve, 7:30 o'clock the Children's Christmas service will be conducted. The Prophecy and fulfilment of the Manger Child will be presented in recitation and hymn. The offering to be received will be directed to the Lutheran Orphanage, New Orleans.
Christmas Day, 9:30 a.m., A festival worship-service will be conducted. The worship will be conducted according to an especially prepared order. The sermon will depict the holiness of this feativa occasion under the theme: "The Fulfillment." Mrs. Eloy Fominaya will serve as organist at these services. Visitors ar invited to derive the spiritual blessings dispensed on these sacred occasions.
"Come Thou With Us And We Will Do Thee Good."

PRESBYTERIAN

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
North 4th St. at Mill
West Monroe

9:30 a.m. Sunday School in Highland Chapel. Breard Frantom, superintndent.
9:45 a.m. Sunday school at Memorial. Harry Liner, superintendent.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship. The pastor will bring a Christmas message on the subject, "What Gifts to the Christ Child?"
6:00 p.m. Story hour and youth fellowship at Memorial.
6:00 p.m. Story hour at Highland Chapel.
7:30 p.m. Christmas Story told in song and story with dramatic visual aids.
7:00 p.m. Wednesday, Christmas tree for th Sunday school with accompanying Christmas program.
The public is cordially welcomed to all our services.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont & Catalpa

9:45 a.m. Church school.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship.
5:00 p.m. Baptismal service for infants.
5:30 p.m. Joy Gift program.
9:00 a.m. Morning worship, Idlewild.
The topic for the morning worship service will be "Christ and Love," the third in a series entitled "Putting Christ Back Into Christmas." Several Christmas anthems and selections will also be sung by the choir.
In place of the evening worship, a Joy Gift program put on by the Young People of the church, the children, and the women of the church, will be held at 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the church.
A candlelighting and communion service will be conducted in the sanctuary Friday, Christmas Eve, at 11:00 p.m.
The nursery facilities through church school and morning worship service consist of a room for babies in arms only, another department for two and three year old children and a kindergarten for four and five year old children. A nursery is also provided in the Educational Building during all other worship services.
Parking facilities are available for those attending Sunday services at the First Presbyterian Church at the Sinclair Service Station, corner Harrison and Catalpa Streets.

GRACE EPISCOPAL

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Fourth and Glenmar Streets

The Rev. John M. Allin, rector.
The Rev. Edward Farren Hayward, rector emeritus.
Fourth Sunday in Advent.
Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.
Koffee Klatch, 8:15.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00
Morning prayer with Litany and sermon, 9:45.
Nursery, parish house 9:45.
Kindergarten, parish house, 9:45.
Fellowship recess, parish house, 11:00.
Classes, 11:15.
Evensong, 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday: St. Thomas, Ap.M.
Morning prayer & Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a.m.
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Friday: Christmas Eve
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Children's Christmas service, 4:00 p.m.
Midnight Christmas service, 11:15.
Saturday: Christmas Day
Morning prayer & Eucharist, 7:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00
Evening prayer, 5:30

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
No. 2nd at Auburn

"Is The Universe, Including Man, Evolved By Atomic Force?" is the subject of the lesson - sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, December 19, 1954.
The Golden Text is: "Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear." (Heb. 11:13).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God and the Word was God. All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made." (John 1:1,3).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Everything good or worthy, God made. Whatever is valueless or hanful, He did not make—hence its unreality." (525).
Listen to a 15 minute radio broadcast Sunday at 8:15 a.m. over Radio Station KNOE. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Service at 8:00 p.m. Reading Room at 135 North Second Street open daily from 10:00 to 5:00 except Sundays and national holidays. Open Tuesday and Thursday nights from 7:00 to 9:00.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
2300 Lee Avenue
Monroe, La.

Travis T. Tynes, branch president.
Sunday school, 10:00 a.m.
Relief Society meeting, 6:15 p.m.
Priesthood meeting, 6:15 p.m.
Sacrament service, 7:30 p.m.
M. I. A., 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.
Primary, 10:00 a. m. Saturday.
Thought for the day:
"I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have th light of life."
We welcome you.

CATHOLIC

SAINT MATTHEW'S CHURCH
Monroe

Msgr. J. C. Marsh, pastor.
Sunday Masses begin at 6:30, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.
Confessions are heard on Saturday from 4 to 6 and from 7 to 9 o'clock.
Guardian Angel class for children from 2 to 5 years of age during the 10:00 o'clock Mass.
Baptisms are held at 4:00 Sunday afternoons, call for appointments.
Weekday masses begin at 6:30, 7:00 and 7:30 except on Tuesday: 6:30, 7:30 and 8:20. Wednesday 6:30, 7:30 and 6:00 p.m. Friday 6:30, 7:30 and 8:20.

Our Lady Of Fatima Church

OUR LADY OF FATIMA CHURCH
Located between Concordia and Sheridan Streets.
Rev. George Martinez, Pastor.
Sunday Masses begin at 7:00 and 10:00 o'clock.
Guardian Angel Class during the 10:00 Mass.

Service Of Song Set In Presby Church

The Memorial Presbyterian Church, North Fourth at Mill Street in West Monroe, will furnish the setting for a dramatic and worshipful Christmas program Sunday evening, December 19th at 7:30 p. m. Members and friends are cordially invited to have a part in this outstanding worship program. Participating in the worship program will be five bass voices, four tenor voices, six alto voices and five soprano voices. The christmas story will be told in song, by narrator and in picture. The young adults of the church have made distinctive creative contributions to what is believed to be an outstanding program. The program is as follows:

Organ prelude: Miss Marianne Buce.

Welcome: Pete Grower.

Christmas prayer: choir (congregation standing).

Narrator: Elder John T. Williams.

Song: "Jesu Bambino" by Mrs. Donald Logan.

Song: "Sing Praise to Jehovah" by the choir.

Narrator

Song: "O Little Town of Bethlehem" by the choir.

Narrator.

Song: "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" by the choir.

Song: "O Holy Night" by the choir-soloist, Mrs. Ellis Bairnsfather.

Narrator.

Song: "Come All Ye Shepherds" by Mrs. Miller Frey, Mrs. Ellis Bairnsfather and Mr. Harry Liner.

Narrator.

Anthem: "Song of Adoration."

Song by choir; "We Three Kings of Orient Are."

Narrator.

Anthem: "What Child Is This?"

Solo: "Christmas Lullaby" Mrs. Miller Frey.

Offertory.

Narrator.

Anthems: "The First Noel" and "Me Thinks I Hear the Heavens Resound."

Song by choir and Descant by Mrs. Ellis Bairnsfather: "Silent Night".

Song by choir: "Lo, the Star Appeareth."

Recessional: "Joy to the World."

Recitation by Pete Grower.

Benediction by the pastor.

The pastor announces that all visitors in the city, friends and visitors in the city, friends and members of the congregation are given an urgent invitation to see and hear the moving scenes of the nativity Sunday evening in this worship service.

Bible Words for Today

JOB 4:4—"Your words have kept men on their feet." (Moffatt)

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Eliphaz said to Job, "Your words have kept men on their feet." He uttered a great truth. How true it is that some words do not keep men on their feet. Men speak harsh words, words that cut like a knife. Discouraging words slay men, gossiping words defame reputation. Someone has said, "You knock me down by your words."

On the other hand, we can keep men on their feet. Men need these words today. But for someone's word of encouragement, or word of hope men will stumble and fall. My word today may help someone to stay on his feet. The best words we can give a needy soul is the word about Christ our Redeemer. We should say it today.

Dr. J. Manning Potts
Editor, The Upper Room
Nashville, Tennessee

Your Guiding Star by Marya

YEAR OF BIRTH_____
MONTH OF BIRTH_____
DATE TODAY_____
TOTAL_____

An Inspiration From The Holy Bible

Fill in above spaces. Total figures. If last figure in total is under 5 this is your key number. If last figure in total is 5 or over subtract 5 to find your key number. Following your key number is your message for today.

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Today's YOUR GUIDING STAR Message:

0. Prov. 12:15. The way of a fool is right in his own eyes, but a wise man listens to advice.
1. II Pet. 1:5,6,7,8. Make every effort to supplement your virtue with knowledge, self-control, steadfastness, and love. For if these things are yours, they keep you from being ineffective and unfruitful.
2. Prov. 11:12. He who belittles his neighbor lacks sense, but a man of understanding remains silent.
3. I Pet. 4:8. Hold unfailing your love for one another, since love covers a multitude of sins.
4. Prov. 15:4. A gentle tongue is a tree of life, but perverseness in it breaks the spirit.

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And get down on your knees and pray. First thank God for work to do. Then ask Him what He wants you to do today. Try to do just that, no more. And as you take up your tasks, whether they call for physical endurance or mental alertness, remember that you are not doing them alone. The Master is right there beside you, eager to help.

If you will do this I'm sure you'll find that each day God will give you strength to accomplish the work He wants you to do.

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Church Directory

McGUIRE METHODIST CHURCH
Cor. Arkansas Road and N. 12th, West Monroe
Rev. I. A. Love, Pastor

FAIR PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
White's Ferry Road
C. C. Martin, Pastor

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
Lincoln and McGuire
West Monroe
Rev. Kenneth Chapman, Minister

MEMORIAL PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
South of Legion Memorial Park
R. L. Ross, Jr. Pastor

LOCH ARBOR BAPTIST CHURCH
Route 5, Monroe
Rev. Wayne Carpenter, Pastor

McCLENDON BAPTIST CHURCH
Old Natchitoches Road
Rev. E. A. Burgess

CHENIERE BAPTIST CHURCH
Cheniere Road, West Monroe

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Dooley Addition
Rev. J. E. Downs, Pastor

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Cypress and Crosley, West Monroe
Rev. Phil Johnson

BAWCOM APOSTOLIC CHURCH
Rev. W. T. Hemphill
Bawcomville-Jonesboro Road

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Fifth & Breard
James W. Carraway

BROWNSVILLE METHODIST
Alvin St.
Rev. J. A. Jones

THE CHURCH OF GOD
800 Georgia St., Monroe
Rev. T. M. McClendon

CENTRAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Corner Hall and Calypso
G. E. Chambers, Pastor

CLEFT ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH
Winnsboro Road
Rev. Glen B. Wright, Pastor

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
812 Mississippi Street
Rev. D. W. Nix Pastor

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTIST CHURCH
301 Sherrouse Ave.
Rev. T. Earl Ogg

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Siegel Addn., West Monroe
Olan Walters

PENIEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Jonesboro Road, West Monroe
R. J. West, Pastor

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Grayson, La.
Services every 3rd Sunday and Saturday before
Rev. H. H. Burns, Pastor

PARKVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
1001 Forsythe Ave., Monroe
Rev. H. L. Sampson

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
St. John and Grammont Streets
Rev. James Horton

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
500 Pine, West Monroe
Rev. Jaroy Weber

FAIRBANKS BAPTIST CHURCH
Vester Headrick, Pastor

NEW CHAPEL HILL BAPTIST CHURCH
Route 1, West Monroe
W. D. Baker, Pastor

RIDGE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe
A. T. Mitchell, Pastor

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
Jackson and Orange
Rev. Roy E. Prager

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe, La.
H. J. Mott, Pastor

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST
(Latter Day Saints)
Montgomery St., West Monroe
Connie C. Fuller, Pastor

GOOD HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
Good Hope Road, W. Monroe
H. B. Dean, Pastor

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
3400 Lee Avenue, Monroe, La.
C. Roger Johnson, Pastor

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
601 Plum
Rev. W. Leon Ivey

EDGEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
501 Travis St.
O. P. Bazer, Pastor

ST. MATTHEW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Monsignor J. C. Marsh, Pastor

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. A. O. Wright, Pastor

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813 Montgomery St., West Monroe
J. P. Nolan, Pastor

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TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Harrison and D'Arbonne
Arthur Betz, Pastor

CHOUDRANT METHODIST CHURCH
Choudrant, La.
Rev. M. L. Davis, Pastor

CLAIBORNE METHODIST CHURCH
Calhoun Road;;
F. L. Hearne, Pastor

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson at Wood Street
Dr. Rev. H. L. Johns, Pastor

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
West Monroe
Rev. D. W. Milton, Pastor

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. T. A. Brown

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
401 Sherrouse Avenue
Rev. Ralph Cain, Pastor

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Corner of Stone and South Third
I. L. Yeager, Pastor

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Stella and North Fourth Sts., West Monroe
Rev. R. A. McCormick, Pastor

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont & Catalpa Sts.
Rev. W. H. McFadden, Minister

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Thomas and Richmond Ave.
Rev. B. M. Loftin, Pastor

HIGHLAND PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
Roberts Avenue
C. B. Thompson, Pastor

FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Corner Wheelis St.
Jonesboro Road — Monroe
Rev. A. D. Varnado, Pastor

COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Orell Place at Milton Street
Rev. Wayne W. Gray

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
1600 South 2nd St.
Rev. T. F. Tenney

THE SALVATION ARMY
110½ South Grand Street
Capt. Louis Mockabee, Director

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
North Fourth and Mill Street
Dr. Hugh E. Bradshaw, Pastor

CENTER POINT BAPTIST CHURCH
New Natchitoches Road
Rev. J. E. Fowler

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
1201 South Second Street
Pastor, Elder Ray Stephens

STERLINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH
T. J. Welch, Pastor

CLAIBORNE BAPTIST CHURCH
Calhoun Road, Highway 80
Rev. J. B. Ryles, Pastor

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Of Ouachita Parish
4501 Jackson St., Monroe
Congregation Servant, Henry

So. Side Will Use Its New Unit Today

Today has been long anticipated by the friends and members of the Southside Methodist Church for the third unit of a four unit plant for this church is to be placed in use for the first time.

The church as organized July 13, 1952 and held its first service in the Missouri Pacific Booster Hall, with 125 charter members. Immediately a church school was organized as well as a Woman's Society of Christian Service, choir and the commission of education, missions, evangelism, and finance were organized. The first service was held in the present building August 31st of 1952. This was a 40 ft. x 60 ft. building and has been used for all worship services since that time. The construction was done by W. C. Salley Company.

In August of 1953 a parsonage was built adjacent to the church. By this time, the church had purchased two more lots, making five in a desirable section of south Monroe. The parsonage was built by Greater Monroe Homes.

Last July it was voted to erect a chapel that would have 300 as seating capacity.

In its two and one-half years of existence the membership has passed the 300 mark, and all phases of church work has made great strides. Today there are three choirs, the chancel, men's and youth's. There is an active WSCS, Men's Club and Sunday school.

The original plan for this new building was drawn by C. E. Vaughan, Jr., who has served as the chairman of the building committee. Working with him has been the chairman of the official board, Pete Medak; chairman of the board of trustees, B. A. Hynum; church school superintendent, W. P. Stewart, Jr.; president of the Men's Club, J. P. Pettit, and now C. L. Harris, president of the WSCS has been Mrs. W. O. Danzey; chairman of the committee on finance, Ray E. Cromwell; chairman of interior decorating, Lloyd Barnett; chairman of lighting and ventilation, J. R. Foley; chancel committee, Walter Weber, also director of our chancel choir; grounds committee, C. R. Clay, also director of the men's choir and chairman of the organ committee; R. L. Jones, who directs the youth choir; construction committee, Ben A. Hynum, chairman and for publicity, F. S. Nolan working with the interior decorating committee has been the altar guild, with Miss Pearl Le Fevre and Mrs. M. R. Johnston as leaders. Working with each of these chairmen have been many loyal men and women willing to serve and asking for no recognition.

The new building has been erected at a cost of $20,000 and the church now has property that is valued at $75,000 on which there is an indebtedness of $21,000.

Reverend Joyner expresses her appreciation to the builder, W. C. Salley, for a good job performed and to all who aided in making a success of this new church.

The morning service will be held in the new sanctuary at 10:45 a. m. today and at noon dinner will be served in the fellowship hall. The morning message will be brought by Rev. James T. Harris, district superintendent and Mrs. Harris will sing a solo.

In the afternoon at 2:30 there will be a worship service and group singing. We hope those not able to attend in the morning will come for this service. There will be a fellowship hour after church.

At 7:30 p. m. the three choirs of our church will present a program of Christmas music. At the close of the service a candlelight service will be held.

Christmas Program At Nazarene Church

The Williams Memorial Church of the Nazarene, presents its regular Christmas program, this Sunday morning at 9:45. Henry Alson Smith, Sunday School superintendent, extends an invitation to the children, parents, and friends of the church to attend this special service. Mrs. Alson Smith has charge of the children's part of this program.

The church offers to all a friendly welcome to be present.

Drama Of Faith To Be Presented Today

"O Come To My Heart," a simple drama of hope, faith and love will be presented at 5:30 this afternoon in the First Presbyterian Church. Casting for the play is from the young people of the church. The play is sponsored by the Women of the Church.

Preceding the play, at 5 o'clock, a special Christmas - time infant baptismal service will be held.

Put Christ Above All Is Service Topic

A special worship service of Christmas music and of the Christmas message will be held in the sanctuary of the First Presbyterian Church on December 19 at 11 o'clock. The music is under the direction of Dr. Harry Lemert and the organist, Leon Hammonds. This worship service is in keeping with the others of the First Presbyterian Church at this season of the year and is designed to put Christ back into Christmas. The order of worship is as follows:

Prelude, "Intermezzo," Mascagni.

Call to Worship, "Ter Sanctus," Cruickshank.

Carol, No. 57, "Joy To the World," Mason.

Invocation, The Lord's Prayer, Gloria Patri.

The Christmas Message in Scripture and in music:

"Break Forth Oh Beauteous Heavenly Light," Bach—The choir.

The Prophecy of Christ's Coming, Isaiah 9: 2-7, The Minister.

"Lo, How A Rose," Proetorius—The Choir.

Announcement of the Birth to Joseph, Matthew 1:18-23 — The Minister.

"Oh, Come Immanuel," Tradtional, The Choir.

The Rejoicing of Mary, Luke 1: 46-55, The Minister.

"My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord," Protheroe — Betty Spurlock, soprano soloist.

The Birth of Christ, Luke 2:1-14, The Minister.

"Glory Be Unto God," Saint Saeus, The Choir.

Reception of new members.

Offertory, "Chorale," Bach.

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication.

Sermon, "Christ and Love," the minister.

Carol, No. 59, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," Mendelssohn.

Benediction.

Choral Response, "Silent Night, Holy Night," Gruber.

Postlude, "Joy To the World," Handel.

Christian Church In Yule Event

A service of Christmas carols and candles will be held at the First Christian Church, Sunday evening, at 7:30. The order of worship is as follows:

Organ Prelude. Processional hymn: "O Come, All Ye Faithful." The Call to Worship. A prophecy: Mankind Yearning for Light. Isaiah 9:2-7. Prayer. Congregation. Carol: "Joy to the World." The Annunciation. Luke 1:26-33. Carol: "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear." The Fulfillment. Luke 2: 1-17. The Christmas Prayer. Minister. Carol: "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

The offering of white gifts. (For the Good Fellows.) The Anthem. Christmas Meditation. Minister. Carol: "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing." The Service of Lights. Carol: "Silent Night! Holy Night!"

Prayer of Dedication The benediction. The postlude.

Each worshipper will receive a candle upon entering the sanctuary and it will be used in the service of lights.

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BAPTIST

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Route 4, Box 121
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Rev. Wayne Carpenter, pastor.
John Oldenburg, music director.
Mary Jane Dreas'er, organist.
Sunday school, 9:50 a.m., O. B. Parrish, superintendent.
Morning worship, 10:50 a.m.
Training Union, 6:30 p.m. G. W. Jordan, director.
Brotherhood meeting, 6:30 p.m. T. P. McCorkle, president.
Evening worship, 7:30 p.m.
The W. M. U. will meet at the church Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. for the Royal Service program. All of the ladies are urged to attend this interesting program.
The Youth organizations begin at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday. Regular mid-week prayer service will begin at 7:45 p.m. The choir will practice at 8:15 p.m.
Everyone is cordially invited to some worship with us.

EDGEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
501 Travis, West Monroe

O. P. Bazer, Pastor.
B. C. Harper, Music Director.
Mrs. O. P. Bazer, Pianist.
9:45 a.m., Sunday School, D. E. Walker, superintendent.
10:50, Morning Worship, Pastor's sermon topic: "The Person of Christ," Matthew 1:18-25.
6:30 p.m., Training Union, R. D. Baker, Director.
7:30 p.m., Christmas Pageant-Cantata entitled, "The Glory of the Lord."
Monday: 7:00 p.m., Street Christmas Carol sing on Trenton St. in West Monroe sponsored by Trenton Association.
Tuesday, 3:00 p.m., Junior G. A.'s meet at church. 3:15 p.m., Intermediate G. A.'s meet at 214 Riggs with Mrs. Carter.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m., Teacher's and officer's meeting. 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting. 8:15 p.m., Choir practice.
We would like to invite everyone to our Christmas Pageant Cantata Sunday evening and to take this opportunity to wish you a very Merry Christmas! Go to the church of your choice this Lord's Day. Put Christ in your Christmas.

FAIR PARK BAPTIST CHRCH
White's Ferry Road
West Monroe

Rev. C. C. Martin, pastor.
Mr. Elza Smith, choir director.
Miss Eva Smith, pianist.
Sunday school, 10:00, Mr. Allen Brooks, Supt.
Morning worship, 11:00
Training Union, 6:30, Mr. G. A. Alexander, director.
Christmas pageant will be presented at 7:30 instead of the evening worship service.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:00 to be followed by Christmas tree at 7:45

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTIST CHURCH
301 Sherrouse Avenue

T. Earl Ogg, pastor.
G. Wayne Buck, music - education director.
Sunday;
9:45 a.m. Sunday school: L. L. Price, superintendent.
10:55 a.m. Worship hour. The pastor's message will be "Christmas Without Christ."
6:15 p.m. Training Union: Mack Cheely, director.
7:30 p.m. Worship hour. The choir will render Christmas Music and the Lottie Moon Christmas offering for Christ will be placed on the White Christmas tree.
Wednesday:
7:00 p.m. Teachers and officers' meeting.
7:45 p.m. Prayer service.
8:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

HIGHLAND PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
Roberts Ave.

C. B. Thompson, Pastor.
"A friendly church where friendly working people meet to worship."
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m., Sermon: "Jesus Christ and Christmas."
Training Union, 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m., "The Appearing of the World's Redeemer." A special Christmas program will be presented by the choir at the time of the evening sermon. The public is cordially invited to attend this special Christmas servic.
Tuesday: 9:30 a.m., W. M. U. meets at the church house.
Wednesday: 6:45 p.m., Teachers and officers meeting. 7:30 p.m., Old Fashioned Christmas party for the whole church. Treats for everyone. All are invited to this party. The Training Union under the direction of O. L. LaGrone is sponsoring this church party.
Highland Park Baptist Church is located on Roberts Ave about seven blocks off the Loop Road.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
600 Plum St.

W. Leon Ivey, Pastor
A cordial welcome awaits you in all the services of Temple Church. Why not celebrate Christmas right by worshipping in the church of your choice today.
Sunday school, 9:45.
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Training Union, 6:30.
Evening Worship, 7:30.
W. M. S. Christmas Party Monday, 7:30.
Choir Rehearsal Tuesday, 7:30.
GA, RA and Sunbeams Wednesday, 7:00.
Tacher's Meeting, Wednesday, 7:00.
Midweek Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:45.
SS Visitation all day Thursday.
Boy Scouts Christmas Party Friday, 7:30
Intermediate Christmas Party Saturday, 7:30.
The pastor will speak at both services this Lord's Day. His subject for the morning hour will be "The Christmas Message" and for the evening hour he will speak on "The Blessings of the Gospel."
If you do not have a church home in Monroe we will be glad to have you make Temple your church home.
Ride the Bernstein Park Bus to Temple.
The nursery is open for all services.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Gordon and Dixie Avenue

Tillman A. Brown, pastor.
C. V. Fleming, Sunday School Supt.
A. M. Hobbs, chairman official board.
Homer Cook, music director.
Organist, Mrs. W. M. Cantrell and Miss Elaine Hesketh.
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a.m.
Evening fellowship, 6:00 p.m. for all MYF groups.
Evening worship, 7:30 p.m.
Recreation and fellowship for the young people following the evening worship service.
Tuesday, Boy Scouts will meet 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Mid-week prayer services, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, choir rehearsal, 7:00 p.m.
There will be a Christmas program given at the church beginning at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend this and all services of our church. There will be a fellowship hour following the program, every one is invited.

METHODIST

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson & Wood Streets
Monroe, La.

Rev. H. L. Johns, D. D., Minister.
Rev. E. K. Means, D. D., Minister Emeritus.
You are cordially invited to the services on Christmas Sunday, Dec. 19th, as follows:
8:45 a.m., Early Communion.
9:30 a.m., Church School, G. E. Boggs, General Superintendent.
10:50 a.m., Morning worship, sermon, "The Christmas Spirit." The Chancel choir will sing the anthem, "Gloria — Angels We Have Heard on High" (Fred Waring).
5:30 p.m., Intermediate M. Y. F.
6:00 p.m., Senior M. Y. F.
6:30 p.m., Dramatic Christmas vesper, for the family, presented by the children's division, the Intermediate department, and the Chapel and Sanctuary choirs. The program follows:
Off-stage caroling, The Intermediate department. Narrator, Jimmy Leverett, Chapel choir: "Christ Was Born on Christmas Day," (14th Century carol); Primary Dept., "Come Softly, Tread Gently" (German folk song), "In Little Bethlehem," (Wilmot); Sanctuary choir: "Angels from the Realm of Glory" (Smart), "O Holy Night" (Adams); The Visit of the Shepherds: Mary, Peggy Pierce; Joseph Duncan Bule; Shepherds, George Riser, Mike McCready, John Joyce, Bob Harrell, James Hunt, John Frazer; Kindergarten Dept.: "Away in A Manger," (Mueller); Visit of the wise men: Don Andrews, Allen Trousdale, Frances Yeldell; Junior Dept.: "We Three Kings of Orient Are," (Hopkins); Narrator: "The Meaning of Christmas;" "Silent Night;" Procession of Gifts and offertory; Benediction and postlude.
The special Christmas offerings are for the care of the little ones at the Methodist Home Hospital in New Orleans.
Nurseries for babies and small children under competent management are to be found in the Educational building.
The midnight Christmas Eve candlelight Communion Service will be held at 11:15 p.m. next Friday evening
All are welcome.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
North Second at Park Avenue
West Monroe

W. D. Milton, pastor.
6:00 p.m. Junior Vesper service, in social hall of the church.
6:30 p.m. Fellowship for the Primaries, Intermediates, Young People and Adults.
Tuesday, December 21, 2:30 p.m. Program meeting of W. S. C. S., in church sanctuary.
7:30 p.m. Circles of Wesleyan Service Guild meet as follows: No. 1, to be announced. No. 2, Mrs. Kenneth Adams, 2514 Swiss St.
Friday, December 24th, 8:45 a.m. Edcast from the church over KLIC, with Rev. Milton & Mrs. Jack Wills.
7:00 p.m. Special Christmas service.

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
401 Sherrouse Ave.
Monroe

Rev. Ralph Cain, Pastor.
Edwin C. Rowan, chairman, official board.
J. Herbert Walker, Church School Supt.
C. A. Storms, Assistant Supt.
Mrs. Irene Nelson, Organist.
Mrs. Estelle Sanders, Adult Choir Director.
Mrs. K. M. Willis, Junior Choir Director.
Miss Louise Nelson, Youth Choir director.
9:45 o'clock, Church School, classes for all ages. Nursery for children beginning at one year.
11:00 o'clock, Morning Worship; Anthem: Adult Choir, "When Angels Sang of Peace" sung by the Adult Choir; Sermon: "Goodwill" pastor; Communion (first Sundays).
6:00 o'clock, Junior Fellowship and choir.
6:30 o'clock, Methodist Youth Fellowship.
8 p.m. o'clock, Evening Worship Service, program of Christmas Music.
Memorial Methodist Church serves the Methodist students at Northeast Louisiana State College through the program of the Wesley Foundation, 105 College Avenue. Rev. Ralph Cain is the director; Mrs. H. E. Plost, the house mother.
Students are invited to use the building for study, recreation, and worship. Noon day luncheons are held on Thursdays at 11:45 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH
Lexington Avenue and Orrell

Benjamin Ray Oliphint, Ph.D., minister.
Church school: 9:30 a.m.
Worship service: 10:50 a.m.
Christmas Vesper service, 6:00 p.m.
Youth group: 6:30 p.m.
A nursery under competent supervision is available for pre - school children during church school and church services. We sincerely believe that you will find in St. Paul's a worshipful atmosphere, a friendly people, and religion so interpreted as to make it a vital force in daily living. We invite you and your family to worship with us today!

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
I. L. Yeager, pastor
M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.
Mrs. M. B. Hearne, Organist.
Services of the day begin with Sunday School at 9:45 There is a class for each age group.
Morning worship service, 10:50 to 11:50. Sermon subject, "The Author of Peace." Scripture, St. Luke 2:8-14.
Youth meetings at 6:30 p.m. All youth invited.
At the 7:30 evening hour, the choir will render the Christmas Story in prose and song. "King and Saviour," is the title of the rendition.
Mr. J. W. Patton director of the choir. Mrs. W. C. (Scottie) Buchanan, narrator, and Miss Rosemary Sones, pianist.
The Woman's Society of Christian Service is to meet Tuesday morning at 9:30
Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Eloise Hearne is to direct the service.
Choir rehearsal immediately after prayer service.
Wishing all a very "Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!"
"We are Wesleyan in teaching and belief!"

SOUTHSIDE METHODIST CHURCH
South Fourth at Temple Drive
Monroe

9:45 a.m. Church school for all ages
10:45 a.m. Morning worship
2:30 p.m. Devotional servic.
5:30 p.m. Youth choir.
6:00 p.m. Junior Fellowship.
6:30 p.m. Men's Choir rehearsal.
7:30 p.m. Musical program "Christmas In Song" presented by the three choirs, closing with a candlelighting service.
Monday: 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout meeting.
Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. Chancel choir rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. WSCS meeting and Christmas party.
Wednesday: 7:15 p.m. Prayer meeting.
Friday: 6:00 p.m. Candlelight communion service. 11:30 a.m. Candlelight communion service.
At the morning service, Rev. James T. Harris will bring the message.
At the evening service a program of Christmas music will be presented by the three choirs entitled "Christmas In Song."
Open house will be held throughout the day to those that would like to inspect the building.
A christening service for babies and small children will be held in the morning service.
Dinner will be served in the church Fellowship Hall. We invite all of our friends to enjoy this with us.
A nursery is maintained at both the morning and evening services.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples of Christ)
St. John and Oak Sts.

R. T. Watson, Minister.
Mrs. F. O. Seymour, choir director.
Mrs. R. V. Wroten, Organist
Church School at 9:45 a.m. The annual offering for our benevolent homes will be taken in the classes.
Worship at 10:50 a.m., "What Do You Want for Christmas?" will be the sermon theme.
Chi Rho and Christian Youth Fellowships at 6:30 p.m.
Worship at 7:30 p.m. This will be a service of Christmas carols and candles. A "white gifts" offering will be made for the Good Fellows.
Two nurseries are maintained each Sunday for pre-school age children.

TRINITY LUTHERAN

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
300 D'Arbonne Ave.

Arthur Betz, Pastor.
9:30 a.m., the church school. Children's lesson subject: "Good Will Toward Men."
Wm. Hochstetler will be in charge of the devotion.
10:45 a.m., The worship service. Sermon subject for this Fourth Sunday in Advent: "Preparing Our Hearts For A Blessed Christmas." Organist: Mrs. Eloy Fominaya.
12:30 p.m., The Lutheran Hour over KLIC. Speaker: The Rev. Kenneth Hoffman, Cleveland, Ohio. Student choir, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Mo.
2:00 p.m., The Children's rehearsal of the Christmas Eve Order of Service.
Monday, 7:30 p.m., The Chapel Christmas Tree-trimming-get-to-gether followed by a social hour and lunch at the parish house.
Christmas Eve, 7:30 o'clock the Children's Christmas service will be conducted. The Prophecy and fulfilment of the Manger Child will be presented in recitation and hymn. The offering to be received will be directed to the Lutheran Orphanage, New Orleans.
Christmas Day, 9:30 a.m., A festival worship-service will be conducted. The worship will be conducted according to an especially prepared order. The sermon will depict the holiness of this festival occasion under the theme: "The Fulfillment." Mrs. Eloy Feminaya will serve as organist at these services. Visitors ar invited to derive the spiritual blessings dispensed on these sacred occasions.
"Come Thou With Us And We Will Do Thee Good."

PRESBYTERIAN

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
North 4th St. at Mill
West Monroe

9:30 a.m. Sunday School in Highland Chapel. Breard Frantom, superintendent.
9:45 a.m. Sunday school at Memorial. Harry Liner, superintendent.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship. The pastor will bring a Christmas message on the subject, "What Gifts to the Christ Child?"
6:00 p.m. Story hour and youth fellowship at Memorial.
6:00 p.m. Story hour at Highland Chapel.
7:30 p.m. Christmas Story told in song and story with dramatic visual aids.
7:00 p.m. Wednesday, Christmas tree for th Sunday school with accompanying Christmas program.
The public is cordially welcomed to all our services.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont & Catalpa

9:45 a.m. Church school.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship.
5:00 p.m. Baptismal service for infants.
5:30 p.m. Joy Gift program.
8:00 a.m. Morning worship, Idlewild.
The topic for the morning worship service will be "Christ and Love," the third in a series entitled "Putting Christ Back Into Christmas." Several Christmas anthems and selections will also be sung by the choir.
In place of the evening worship, a Joy Gift program put on by the Young People of the church, the children, and the women of the church, will be held at 5:30 p.m in the Fellowship Hall of the church.
A candlelighting and communion service will be conducted in the sanctuary Friday, Christmas Eve, at 11:00 p.m.
The nursery facilities through church school and morning worship service consist of a room for babies in arms only, another department for two and three year old children and a kindergarten for four and five year old children. A nursery is also provided in the Educational Building during all other worship services.
Parking facilities are available for those attending Sunday services at the First Presbyterian Church at the Sinclair Service Station, corner Harrison and Catalpa Streets.

GRACE EPISCOPAL

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Fourth and Glenmar Streets

The Rev. John M. Allin, rector.
The Rev. Edward Farren Hayward, rector emeritus.
Fourth Sunday in Advent.
Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.
Coffee Klatch, 8:15.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00
Morning prayer with Litany and sermon, 9:45.
Nursery, parish house 9:45.
Kindergarten, parish house, 9:45.
Fellowship recess, parish house, 11:00.
Classes, 11:15.
Evensong, 5:30 p.m
Tuesday: St. Thomas, Ap M.
Morning prayer & Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharits, 9:00
Friday: Christmas Eve
Morning prayer & Eucharist, 7:00 a.m.
Children's Christmas service, 4:00 p.m.
Midnight Christmas service, 11:15.
Saturday: Christmas Day
Morning prayer & Eucharist, 7:00 a.m
Holy Eucharist, 9:00
Evening prayer, 5:30

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
No. 2nd at Auburn

"Is The Universe, Including Man, Evolved By Atomic Force?" is the subject of the lesson - sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, December 19, 1954.
The Golden Text is: "Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear." (Heb. 11:13).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God and the Word was God. All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made." (John 1:1,3).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Everything good or worthy, God made. Whatever is valueless or sinful, He did not make—hence its unreality." (525).
Listen to a 15 minute radio broadcast Sunday at 8:15 a.m. over Radio Station KNOE. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Service at 8:00 p.m. Reading Room at 135 North Second Street open daily from 10:00 to 5:00 except Sundays and national holidays. Open Tuesday and Thursday nights from 7:01 to 9:00.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
2300 Lee Avenue
Monroe, La.

Travis T. Tynes, branch president.
Sunday school, 10:00 a.m.
Relief Society meeting, 6:15 p.m.
Priesthood meeting, 6:15 p.m.
Sacrament service, 7:30 p.m.
M. I. A., 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.
Primary, 10:00 a.m. Saturday.
Thought for the day:
"I am the light of the world; he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have th light of life."
We welcome you.

CATHOLIC

SAINT MATTHEW'S CHURCH
Monroe

Msgr. J. C. Marsh, pastor.
Sunday Masses begin at 6:30, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a.m and 6:00 p.m.
Confessions are heard on Saturday from 4 to 6 and from 7 to 9 o'clock.
Guardian Angel class for children from 2 to 8 years of age during the 10:00 o'clock Mass.
Baptisms are held at 4:00 Sunday afternoons, call for appointments.
Weekday masses begin at 6:30, 7:00 and 7:30 except on Tuesday - 6:30, 7:30 and 8:20. Wednesday 6:30, 7:30 and 6:00 p.m. Friday 6:30, 7:30 and 8:20.

Our Lady Of Fatima Church

OUR LADY OF FATIMA CHURCH
Located between Concordia and Sheridan Streets.
Rev. George Martinez, Pastor.
Sunday Masses begin at 7:00 and 10:00 o'clock.
Guardian Angel Class during the 10:00 Mass.

Service Of Song Set In Presby Church

The Memorial Presbyterian Church, North Fourth at Mill Street in West Monroe, will furnish the setting for a dramatic and worshipful Christmas program Sunday evening, December 19th at 7:30 p. m. Members and friends are cordially invited to have a part in this outstanding worship program. Participating in the worship program will be five bass voices, four tenor voices, six alto voices and five soprano voices. The christmas story will be told in song, by narrator and in picture. The young adults of the church have made distinctive creative contributions to what is believed to be an outstanding program. The program is as follows:

Organ prelude: Miss Marianne Buce.

Welcome: Pete Grower.

Christmas prayer: choir (congregation standing).

Narrator: Elder John T. Williams.

Song: "Jesu Bambino" by Mrs. Donald Logan.

Song: "Sing Praise to Jehovah" by the choir.

Narrator

Song: "O Little Town of Bethlehem" by the choir.

Narrator.

Song: "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" by the choir.

Song: "O Holy Night" by the choir-soloist, Mrs. Ellis Bairnsfather.

Narrator.

Song: "Come All Ye Shepherds" by Mrs. Miller Frey, Mrs. Ellis Bairnsfather and Mr. Harry Liner.

Narrator.

Anthem: "Song of Adoration."

Song by choir: "We Three Kings of Orient Are."

Narrator.

Anthem: "What Child Is This?"

Solo: "Christmas Lullaby" Mrs. Miller Frey.

Offertory.

Narrator.

Anthems: "The First Noel" and "Me Thinks I Hear the Heavens Resound."

Song by choir and Descant by Mrs. Ellis Bairnsfather: "Silent Night".

Song by choir: "Lo, the Star Appeareth."

Recessional: "Joy to the World."

Recitation by Pete Grower.

Benediction by the pastor.

The pastor announces that all visitors in the city, friends and vistiors in the city, friends and members of the congregation are given an urgent invitation to see and hear the moving scenes of the nativity Sunday evening in this worship service.

Bible Words for Today

JOB 4:4—"Your words have kept men on their feet." (Moffatt)

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Eliphaz said to Job, "Your words have kept men on their feet." He uttered a great truth. How true it is that some words do not keep men on their feet. Men speak harsh words, words that cut like a knife. Discouraging words slay men, gossiping words defame reputation. Someone has said, "You knock me down by your words."

On the other hand, we can keep men on their feet. Men need these words today. But for someone's word of encouragement, or word of hope men will stumble and fall. My word today may help someone to stay on his feet. The best words we can give a needy soul is the word about Christ our Redeemer. We should say it today.

Dr. J. Manning Potts
Editor, The Upper Room
Nashville, Tennessee

Your Guiding Star by Marya

YEAR OF BIRTH____
MONTH OF BIRTH____
DATE TODAY____
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An Inspiration From The Holy Bible

Fill in above spaces. Total figures. If last figure in total is under 5 this is your key number. If last figure in total is 5 or over subtract 5 to find your key number. Following your key number is your message for today.

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Today's YOUR GUIDING STAR Message:

0. Prov. 12:15. The way of a fool is right in his own eyes, but a wise man listens to advice.
1. II Pet. 1:5,6,7,8. Make every effort to supplement your virtue with knowledge, self-control, steadfastness, and love. For if these things are yours, they keep you from being ineffective and unfruitful.
2. Prov. 11:12. He who belittles his neighbor lacks sense, but a man of understanding remains silent.
3. I Pet. 4:8. Hold unfailing your love for one another, since love covers a multitude of sins.
4. Prov. 15:4. A gentle tongue is a tree of life, but perverseness in it breaks the spirit.

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FREE METHODIST CHURCH
Lincoln and McGuire
West Monroe
Rev. Kenneth Chapman, Minister

MEMORIAL PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
South of Legion Memorial Park
R. L. Ross, Jr. Pastor

LOCH ARBOR BAPTIST CHURCH
Route 5, Monroe
Rev. Wayne Carpenter, Pastor

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Rev. E. A. Burgess

CHENIERE BAPTIST CHURCH
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Rev. Phil Johnson

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R. J. West, Pastor

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
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Rev. H. H. Burns, Pastor

PARKVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
1001 Forsythe Ave., Monroe
Rev. H. L. Sampson

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Rev. Jonies Horton

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Rev. Jaroy Weber

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W. D. Baker, Pastor

RIDGE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe
A. T. Mitchell, Pastor

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Rev. M. L. Davis, Pastor

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Thomas and Richmond Ave.
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Roberts Avenue
C. B. Thompson, Pastor

FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Corner Wheelis St.
Jonesboro Road — Monroe
Rev. A. D. Varnado, Pastor

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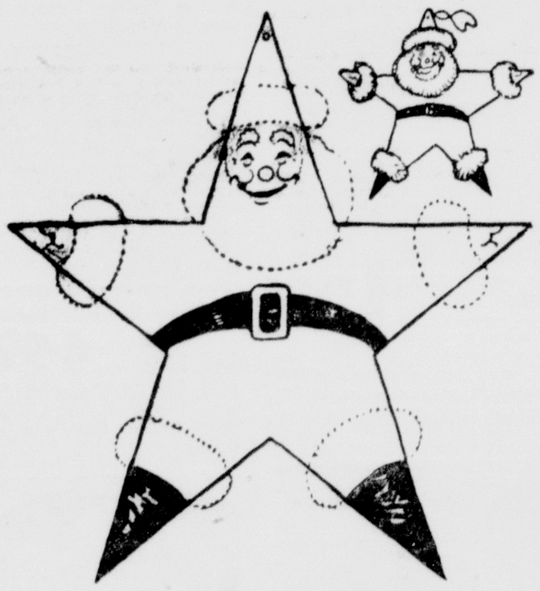
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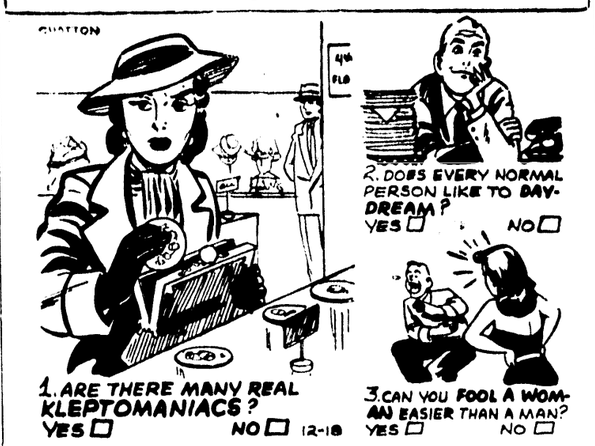
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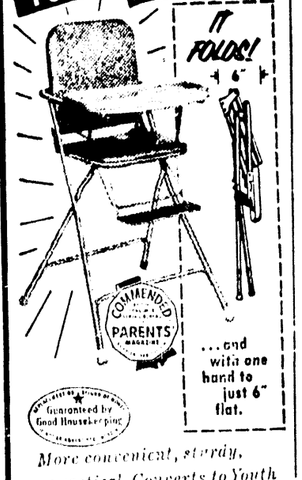
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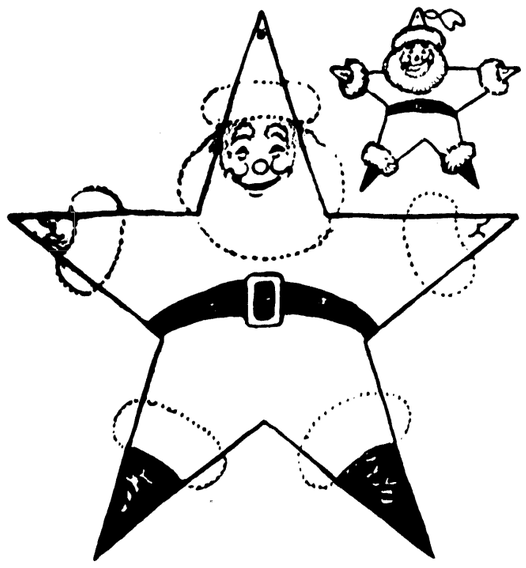
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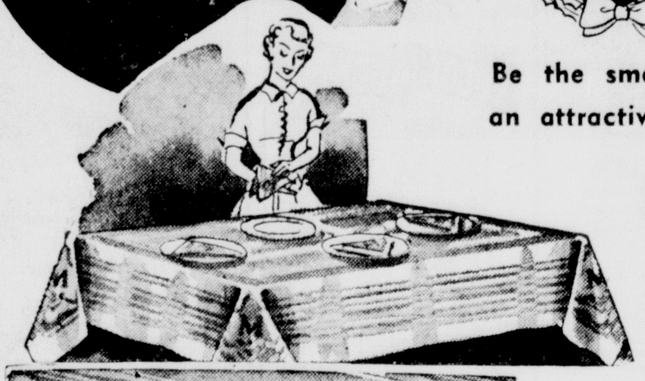
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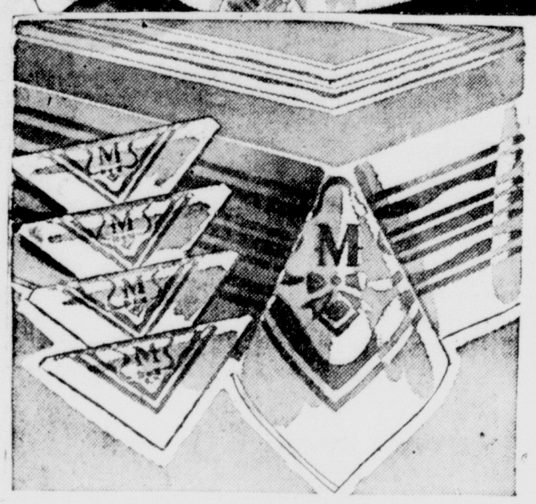
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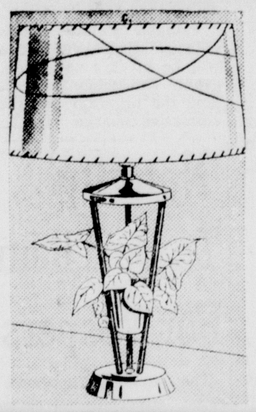
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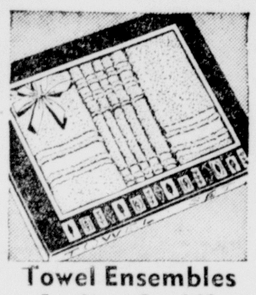
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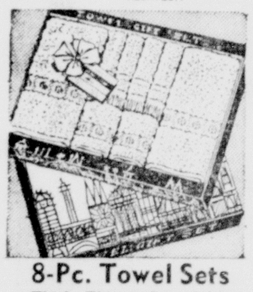
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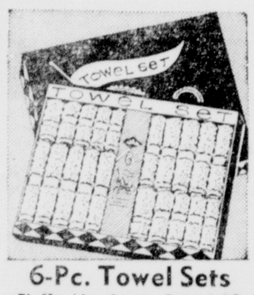
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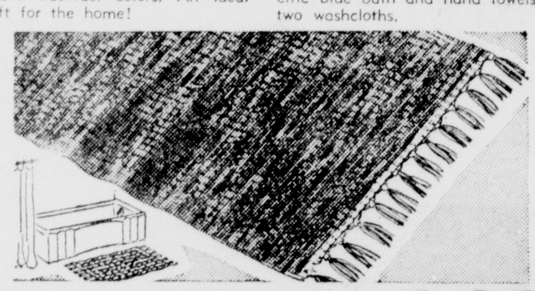
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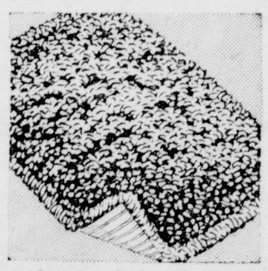
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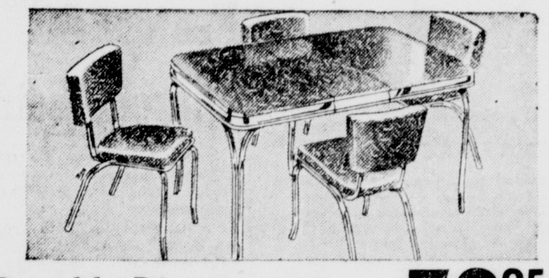
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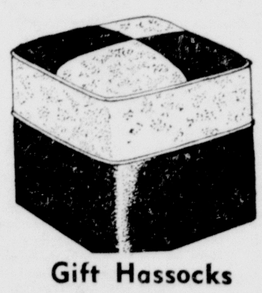


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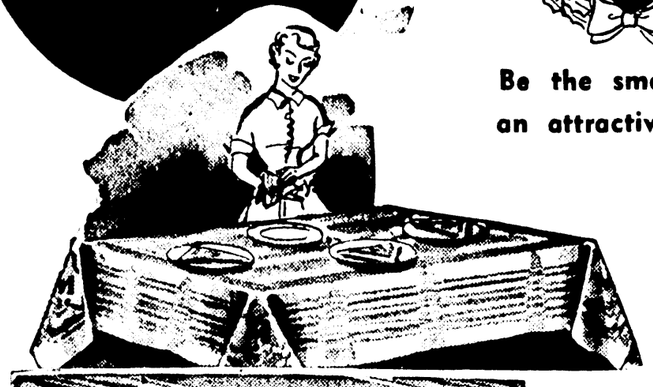
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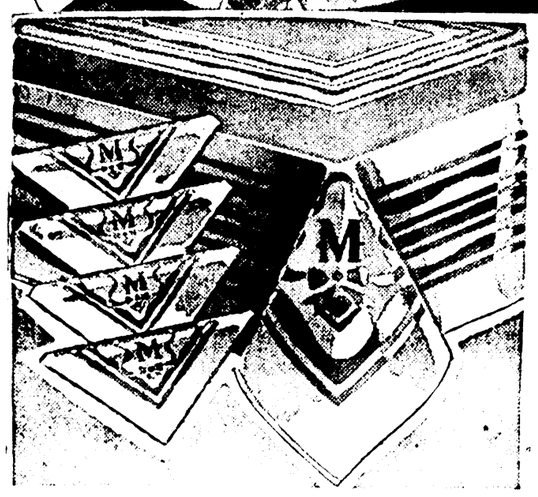
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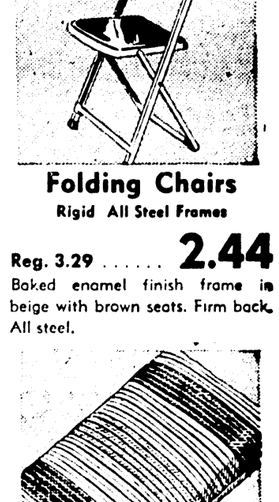
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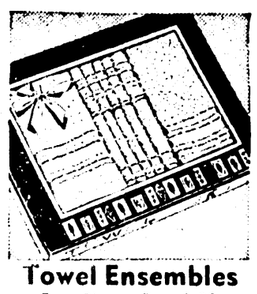
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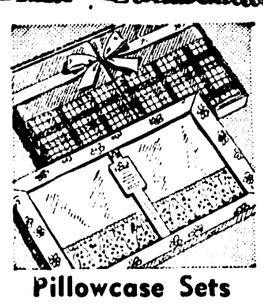
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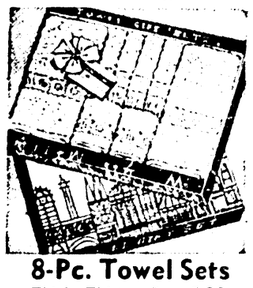
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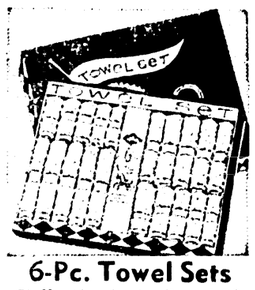
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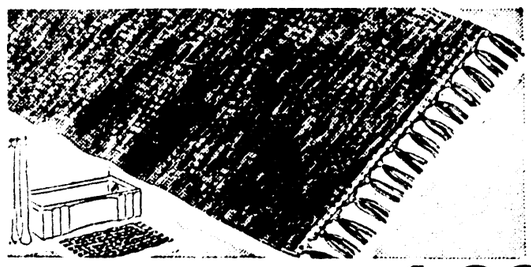
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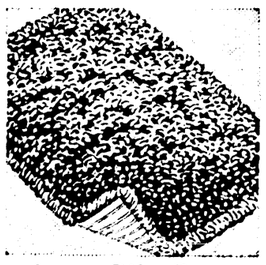
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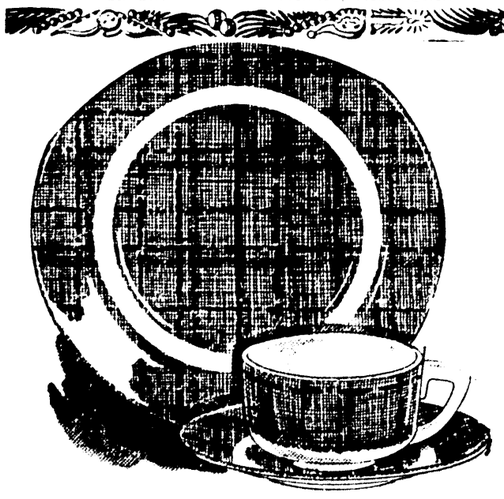
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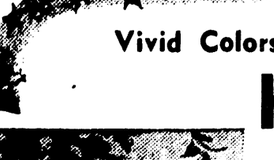
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Garden Center Notes

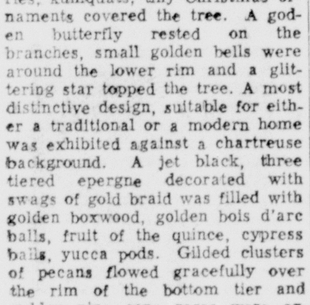
By Mary M. Jardine



Center Displays Unusual Holiday Designs

The Garden Center is sparkling with gay and beautiful Holiday Arrangements this week. All of these scintillating and unusual designs were created by the talented Mrs. Lamonte Wright of Ruston. An enchanting Della Robbia tree on a gold stand was placed against a soft gray background. The tree was made of Japanese boxwood skillfully covering the wire frame. Small fruits of mock-orange, crabapples, small red apples, holly berries, kumquats, tiny Christmas ornaments covered the tree. A golden butterfly rested on the branches, small golden bells were around the lower rim and a glittering star topped the tree. A most distinctive design, suitable for either a traditional or a modern home was exhibited against a chartreuse background. A jet black, three tiered epergne decorated with swags of gold braid was filled with golden boxwood, golden bois d'arc balls, fruit of the quince, cypress balls, yucca pods. Gilded clusters of pecans flowed gracefully over the rim of the bottom tier and golden pine cone roses were arranged around the ornate black base.

A whimsical Santa filled the next niche. His cap, a straw cornucopia topped with a large red Christmas ball. His head was an inverted flat basket and his features of bright red Christmas balls. His beard was of palmetto with a very rakish mustache! A handsome wreath in browns and gold was the next exhibit. A wealth of material, skillfully selected and arranged as follows: Lotus pods, clusters of chestnuts, filberts, apricot seeds, peach kernels, buckeye pods and buckeye seeds. Dried artichoke flowers and pine cone roses, small gourds, embryo coconuts, sycamore balls, sweet gum balls, baby wood roses, tornilla pods and devil's claw pods and a light brown locust. Background was a soft green.



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Make Christmas Decoration Last

To make your holly and mistletoe, your magnolia leaves and other live decorations last out their full time without drying out and creating a fire hazard, be sure to soak them thoroughly overnight before you put them up. Woody stems will not take up any water unless you take a knife and scrape off the outer bark just enough to expose the green cells of the inner bark. These cells will then absorb water and pull it up into the other stems and leaves. You need scrape only two sides of each stem for a few inches. This can be done easiest by wearing gloves to protect your hands from the prickles. Hold the branch by the middle with the stem away from you and give it a couple of good scrapes. If the bark is tough, then just scrape up and down. Put each piece immediately into deep water.

After several hours the stems will be full of water. Some people like to dip their greens in clear varnish or lacquer them over with some clear material. If this is done, the material will last almost indefinitely.

Your Chrismas tree will be a lot safer from fire if you will scrape the sides of the stalk on two sides as described above and leave the tree in a bucket of water until you are ready to set it up. A large metal container such as lard comes in to the grocers in quantity or a very large bucket makes a good base for a tree. Rocks can be fitted about the stalk of the tree so as to make it stand upright. Then water can be poured in to keep the tree moist and fresh. This will make the tree more nearly fire proof. Some drug stores carry a material with which to spray your tree to give it fire protection. When you buy your tree, feel it to see if it has become dry and brittle. If you always get your own tree, do not leave it out of water to dry up. Wind will dry it out in a hurry.

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Garden Center Notes

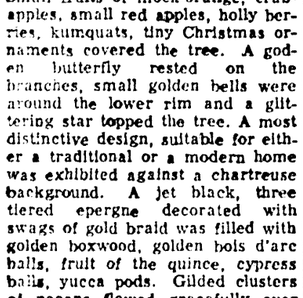
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Center Displays Unusual Holiday Designs

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A whimsical Santa filled the next niche. His cap, a straw cornucopia topped with a large red Christmas ball. His head was an inverted flat basket and his features of bright red Christmas balls. His beard was of palmetto with a very rakish mustache! A handsome wreath in browns and gold was the next exhibit. A wealth of material, skillfully selected and arranged as follows: Lotus pods, clusters of chestnuts, filberts, apricot seeds, peach kernels, buckeye pods and buckeye seeds. Dried artichoke flowers and pine cone roses, small gourds, embryo coconuts, sycamore balls, sweet gum balls, baby wood roses, tornilla pods and devil's claw pods and a light brown locust. Background was a soft green.



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SOUTHERN GARDENER—

By William Lanier Hunt



Make Christmas Decoration Last

To make your holly and mistletoe, your magnolia leaves and other live decorations last out their full time without drying out and creating a fire hazard, be sure to soak them thoroughly overnight before you put them up. Woody stems will not take up any water unless you take a knife and scrape off the outer bark just enough to expose the green cells of the inner bark. These cells will then absorb water and pull it up into the other stems and leaves. You need scrape only two sides of each stem for a few inches. This can be done easiest by wearing gloves to protect your hands from the prickles. Hold the branch by the middle with the stem away from you and give it a couple of good scrapes. If the bark is tough, then just scrape up and down. Put each piece immediately into deep water.

After several hours the stems will be full of water. Some people like to dip their greens in clear varnish or lacquer them over with some clear material. If this is done, the material will last almost indefinitely.

Your Chrismas tree will be a lot safer from fire if you will scrape the sides of the stalk on two sides as described above and leave the tree in a bucket of water until you are ready to set it up. A large metal container such as lard comes in to the grocers in quantity or a very large bucket makes a good base for a tree. Rocks can be fitted about the stalk of the tree so as to make it stand upright. Then water can be poured in to keep the tree moist and fresh. This will make the tree more nearly fire proof. Some drug stores carry a material with which to spray your tree to give it fire protection. When you buy your tree, feel it to see if it has become dry and brittle. If you always get your own tree, do not leave it out of water to dry up. Wind will dry it out in a hurry.

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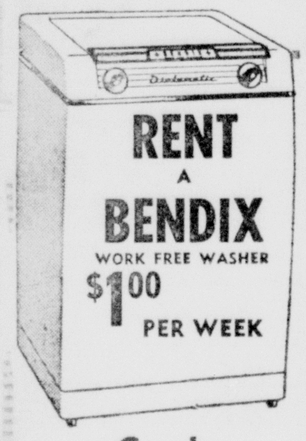
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Opening lead: Five of spades.

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He then led a low club to dummy and the ten held the trick. Declarer cashed the king of hearts and continued with the clubs, but West held up till the third round. West then led a diamond, permitting East to come through South's ten of spades, and there was no way for declarer to score more than eight tricks.

A proper survey at trick one makes it clear that in order to assure the cashing of his nine tricks the king must be played from dummy at once. Declarer then cashes his three high hearts and leads a low club. Dummy's holding provides a certain entry to permit the cashing of the king of hearts. If the defense holds up with the ace of clubs, South retains the ace of spades for entry to cash the fourth club for trick number nine.



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Why Grow Old?

By Josephine Lowman

Take Action If Worry Is Always With You

The other day a friend of mine, a quiet, soft-spoken, retiring person, was taken to the hospital suffering from an ulcer.

None of her friends thought she had a worry in the world. She got along well with people; never pushed herself forward; in fact never pushed herself in any respect. Yet here she was with an ailment usually associated with the workaday, hustling business

Without knowing all of the deworld. How come?

tails of her case, it is difficult to make a correct analysis of cause and effect. But here is a possible explanation. See if it applies to you or to any of your own family.

Take Action

Doctors and mental health experts advise that whenever anything is worrying us so that it demands an undue amount of our attention day and night, we should try to take action. Frequently we can't do anything that directly affects the situation causing the worry. The illness of a member of our family who is away from home; financial difficulties; fear of the loss of a job—all of these are things over which we have little direct control at most times. Then how can we take the action that doctors advise.

The answer is that we can and should take some other action. It really does not matter what action it is so long as it gives us a chance to become completely involved in something else—something that will demand our full attention. We need to get our minds off the road that is blocked and onto a detour. Otherwise our motor will be left running and running and running with no place to go. That's what is supposed to cause ulcers. This blocking of the path is called frustration, and it can cause other troubles, too.

Needs Outlet

Human desires are like a river. Put a dam across it, and a pond builds up until some other outlet is found. Then the river stabilizes or balances itself with the same amount of water flowing out of the pond that flows into it. Unless an outlet is found, water builds up and flows over the dam, frequently destroying it. Unless we humans can find an outlet for our pent up desires, we are in danger of being engulfed and destroyed by them. If that outlet can be made to work, a feeling of satisfaction will replace the feeling of anxiety.

Tomorrow: "Why Be Self-Conscious? Others Don't Notice You."

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In Armed Services

FIFTH AIR FORCE, Korea — Airman Second Class Davie McEntire, Monroe, La., is currently assigned as an air policeman at Seoul City Air Base.

The 22-year-old airman performs internal security duties and serves as escort for the neutral nations inspection team on visits to the airbase. His oversea record includes a tour of duty in the United Kingdom. Before coming to the Far East McEntire was stationed at Carswell Air Force Base, Tex., where he received the national defense service medal.

The son of Mrs. Melba McEntire, 416 South 27th street, Temple, Tex., Davie attended Temple High School until 1949. His wife, Melba, and their 1-month-old son, David, live at Route 1, Monroe, La.

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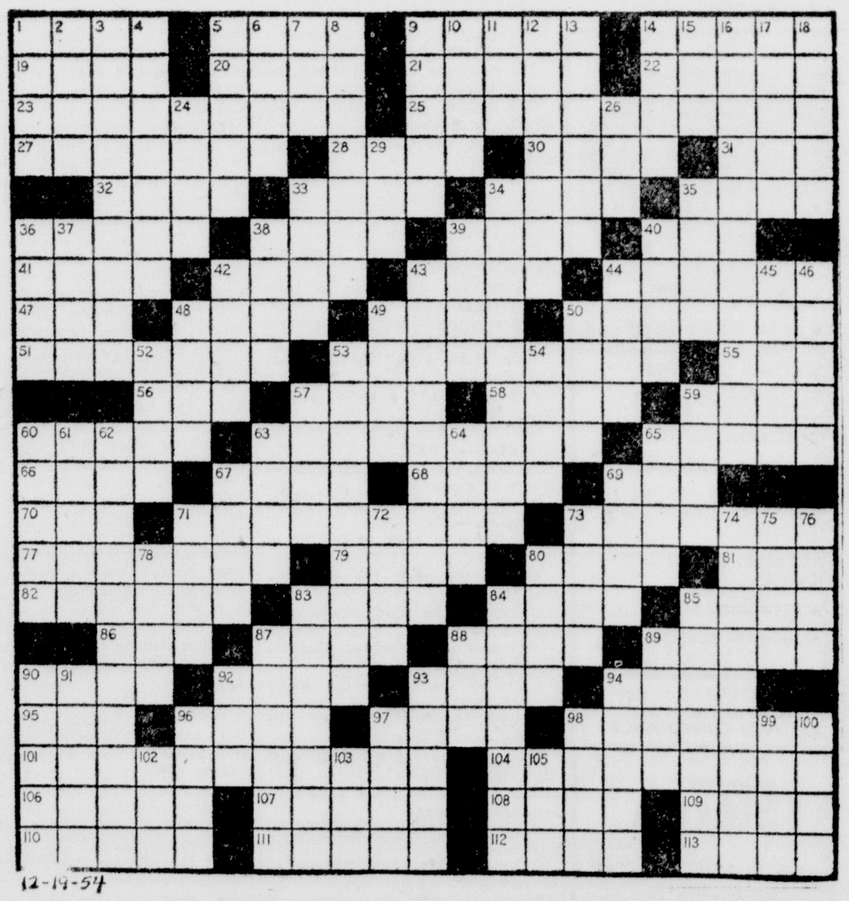


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65 Fashion
66 Grasping
67 River dam
68 Niche
69 Pronoun
70 Twitching
71 October 31st
73 Shows
77 Stun
79 Girl in Hardy novel
80 Bothers
81 Barbarian
82 Loll
83 Summers, in Paris
84 Horn of crescent moon
85 Entrap
86 Legal matters
87 Trudge
88 Mr. Greenberg, of baseball
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11 Bronze
12 Speak to
13 Bemoan
14 Prank
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16 Gossip
17 Division of a poem
18 Attempt
24 Disembark
26 Terminus
29 Outre
33 Burn
34 Draft horse
35 Scope
36 Escaped
37 City in Europe
38 Chair
39 Galvanize
40 Discover
42 Chance
43 Obesity
44 Change
45 Country near India
46 Awaken
48 Glass
49 Musical group
50 High peaks
52 Variegated
53 Redhead
54 Feeble
57 Receptacle
59 Needlecase
60 Of birth
61 Dispatch boat
62 Colorful
63 Pinochle term
64 Travels
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67 Decrease
69 Kiyi
71 Embraces
72 Noxious plant
73 Medal
74 Quack
75 River boats
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Goren on Bridge

Both vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ K 6 2
♥ K 8 6 4
♦ Q J 3
♣ J 10 2

WEST
♠ Q 9 7 5 3
♥ 5 2
♦ K 10 6
♣ A 9 7

EAST
♠ J 8
♥ 10 9 7 3
♦ A 8 7 4
♣ 8 5 4

SOUTH
♠ A 10 4
♥ A Q J
♦ 9 5 2
♣ K Q 6 3

The bidding:
South, 1 no trump; West, pass; North, 3 no trump; East, pass.
South, pass; West, pass.
Opening lead: Five of spades.

It may have been greed which induced declarer to try for an extra trick in the spade suit, but more likely it was just failure to take time out for a mental projection of the play, which would have disclosed that declarer had entry problems to contend with. As a result of his impulsive play to trick one, South was subjected to one of the most frustrating experiences at the card table — possession of nine tricks at a three no trump contract, combined with the inability to cash them.

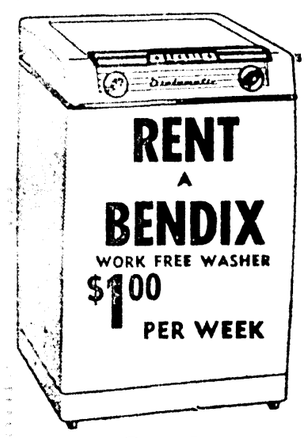
The five of spades was opened, and on the chance that West had led from a holding containing both the queen and jack, declarer let it run to his hand in an effort to score an extra trick with the ten. The attempt to garner an additional 30 points proved costly as will be seen in a moment. East played the jack and declarer won with the ace. Unwilling to rely on the rather poor chance that hearts would break 3 - 3 so that he might eventually overtake his jack of hearts with the king, declarer cashed the ace, queen and jack of that suit.

He then led a low club to dummy and the ten held the trick. Declarer cashed the king of hearts and continued with the clubs, but West held up till the third round. West then led a diamond, permitting East to come through South's ten of spades, and there was no way for declarer to score more than eight tricks.

A proper survey at trick one makes it clear that in order to assure the cashing of his nine tricks the king must be played from dummy at once. Declarer then cashes his three high hearts and leads a low club. Dummy's holding provides a certain entry to permit the cashing of the king of hearts. If the defense holds up with the ace of clubs, South retains the ace of spades for entry to cash the fourth club for trick number nine.

NEWSPAPER DIRECTOR NAMED

SHREVEPORT —UP— George W. Shannon, editor of the Shreveport Journal and Gordon A. May, assistant treasurer, were elected to the board of directors yesterday by stockholders of the Journal Publishing Co. Shannon has been editor since July, 1953. May has been connected with the Journal for four years.



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Why Grow Old?

By Josephine Lowman

Take Action If Worry Is Always With You

The other day a friend of mine, a quiet, soft-spoken, retiring person, was taken to the hospital suffering from an ulcer.

None of her friends thought she had a worry in the world. She got along well with people; never pushed herself forward; in fact never pushed herself in any respect. Yet here she was with an ailment usually associated with the workaday, hustling business world. How come?

Without knowing all of the details of her case, it is difficult to make a correct analysis of cause and effect. But here is a possible explanation. See if it applies to you or to any of your own family.

Take Action

Doctors and mental health experts advise that whenever anything is worrying us so that it demands an undue amount of our attention day and night, we should try to take action. Frequently we can't do anything that directly affects the situation causing the worry. The illness of a member of our family who is away from home; financial difficulties; fear of the loss of a job—all of these are things over which we have little direct control at most times. Then how can we take the action that doctors advise.

The answer is that we can and should take some other action. It really does not matter what action it is so long as it gives us a chance to become completely involved in something else—something that will demand our full attention. We need to get our minds off the road that is blocked and onto a detour. Otherwise our motor will be left running and running and running with no place to go. That's what is supposed to cause ulcers. This blocking of the path is called frustration, and it can cause other troubles, too.

Needs Outlet

Human desires are like a river. Put a dam across it, and a pond builds up until some other outlet is found. Then the river stabilizes or balances itself with the same amount of water flowing out of the pond that flows into it. Unless an outlet is found, water builds up and flows over the dam, frequently destroying it. Unless we humans can find an outlet for our pent up desires, we are in danger of being engulfed and destroyed by them. If that outlet can be made to work, a feeling of satisfaction will replace the feeling of anxiety.

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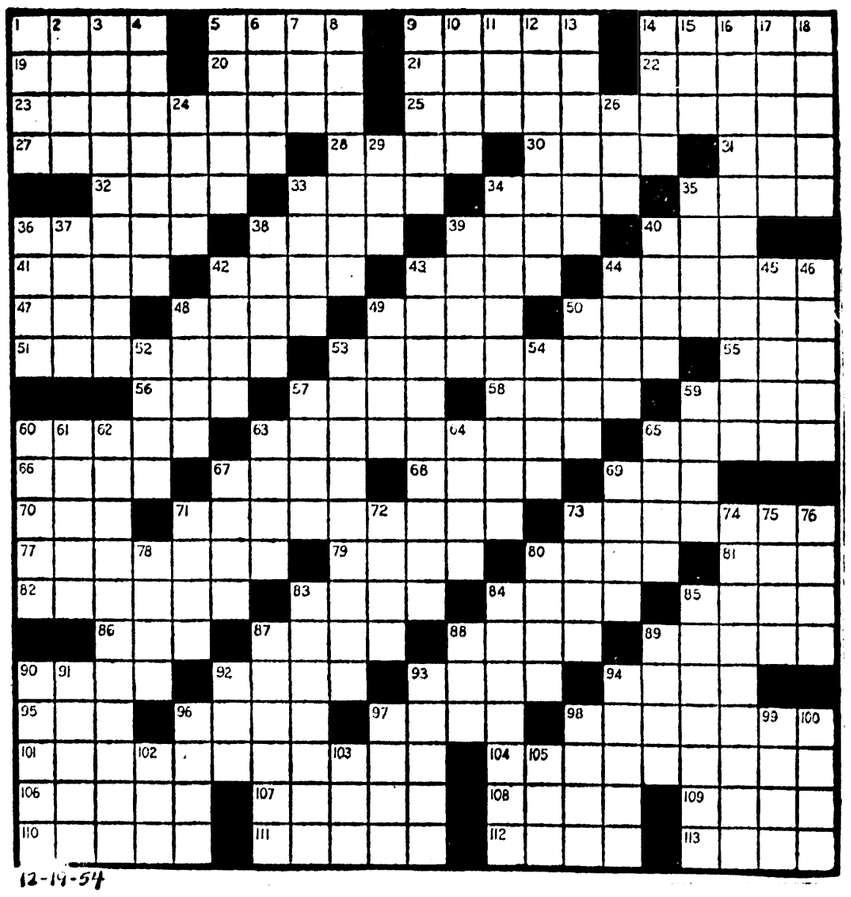


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In Hollywood

By Jimmy Fidler



New Magical City

By MAX ALEXANDER

Guest Columnist)

HOLLYWOOD, December 18 — Hollywood has recently undergone something approximating evolution —or perhaps the proper word is revolution. The Hollywood of 20 years ago is dead as the fabled dodo bird. From the ashes has risen a new magical city — now devoted in part to the production of films for television purposes. And perhaps the transition, although economically painful to many engaged in the making of motion pictures, may yet prove beneficial and constructive. My observations are from the view point of a producer.

One important reason for this evolution, or revolution, if you prefer, was the advent and rapid growth of television. And another reason was the lessening of public spending power which naturally followed the conclusion of World War II. Anyway, the definite effect was something like a conspiracy to wreck the institution known as Hollywood and which, inadvertently, ushered in a new era in which TV plays a co-starring role.

One unpleasant result of these developments was to bring about, temporarily, production malnutrition. A slump in the business of making motion pictures, which affected the pocketbooks of just about everybody, from stars, with their enormous salaries, to bit players and extras. Big - name personalities, whose services were in constant demand and whose incomes ranged from $150,000 a picture upward in some instances, found themselves threatened with salary cuts. This experience for people who are highly - geared in a financial sense, was especially painful and required a laborious readjustment. The results were felt all the way down the line, from the newsboys at the corner of Sunset and Laurel Canyon to Schwab's drugstore, famous habitat of the stars.

Hollywood for awhile was panicky, in more ways than one. Where once the industry turned out between 500 or 550 features a year, production was slashed to two or three hundred pictures. Readjustment was a spectre which haunted the streets and screeched mournful sounds.

Now, however, Hollywood is on the road back to economic stability —thanks to new innovations and television. Producers and distributors, including my own TV distributing company of M. and A. Alexander Productions, recognized the new deal and converted their operations to tie in with a relatively new-born industry. As in the instance of my own firm, some companies, aware of the tremendous market for motion pictures on TV, began to distribute such films to television stations throughout the country. And other organizations converted their setups to the production of films especially for TV purposes or folded up their own outfits and started anew.

Indicative of the new version is the fact that at the present every studio available to television producers is jammed with activity. Actors who were literally hungry a few years ago, at the outset of the changeover, are now eating regularly. And in a few phases of production, there is a shortage of trained personnel, in contrast to a short time ago.

I repeat, Hollywood is fast recuperating from a severe case of production malnutrition. And, from where I sit, it looks like a permanent recovery, sound in every detail.

Even omitting the TV phase, the wide screen rage and the dip into period pictures, has had a revivifying effect.

Perhaps this experience, from one angle, is a good thing. It may be Hollywood has acquired a new and better sense of values. Anyhow, most of the trouble seems now in the past and Hollywood, with a new optimism, faces the future with a substantial degree of confidence and assurance.

Hollywood, as most of the world believes, is home of the magic movies. Some of the major producers may have gone afield in search of more space for their studios, but to all intents and purposes, they still are a part of Hollywood. There was a depression of sorts in the film industry just after World War II, and a crisis rapidly developed. But TV was in the offing, and this industry became a revitalizing shot in the arm, and then the studios came up with various innovations in picture screens —with even 3-D having its inning. But later came the wide screens, and a change in pace of the story output, and theater-goers all over this nation began to return to the theaters.

In the last two years the prosperity, known so well before the war, was on the rebound, and while the wedding of TV and the movie industry has not taken place, the two are more closely associated than ever before. The combination, so far as it has gone, is working toward an increase in financial stability of the older industry.

Being a television producer, I naturally see the TV angle, and I'm just as anxious, from my viewpoint, to give credit where credit is due. I hope I'm a sound prophet. But of course only time will ruin my reputation, if any, in this respect, or substantiate my views. I doubt if the general public realizes the extensive production activity that TV has brought to Hollywood.

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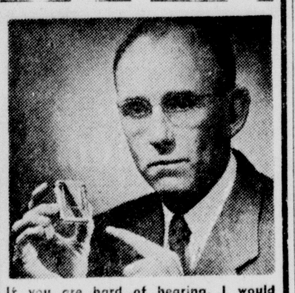
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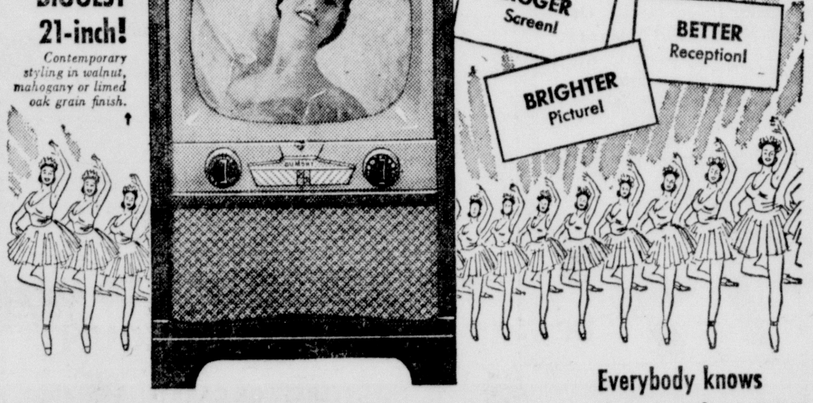
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9:30—Look Up & Live
10:00—To Be Announced
10:30—What's Your Trouble
10:45—Selected Film
10:45—Morning Movie
11:00—Winky Dink & You
11:30—American Inventory
12:00—Youth Wants to Know
12:30—Sunday Edition
12:45—To Be Announced
1:00—Devotional
1:30—Face the Nation
2:00—Now & Then
2:30—Adventure
3:00—The American Week
3:30—The Search
4:00—Wild Bill Hickok
4:30—Homes & Handicraft
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5:30—You Are There
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6:30—Private Secretary
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9:30—Meet Corliss Archer
10:00—Break the Bank
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11:00—Drew Pearson
11:15—News, Weather
11:20—SIGN OFF

WSLI-TV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 12

12:15—Faith For Today
12:45—Big League Football
1:00—Pro Football
3:45—Scoreboard
4:00—Cen. Miss. Quartet
4:30—The Christophers
5:00—Story Portrait
5:30—What One Can Do
5:45—Sunday Showtime
7:00—Flight No. 7
7:30—The Big Picture
8:00—Melvyn Douglas
8:30—Soldier Parade
9:00—Break The Bank

WLBT-TV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 3

11:15—Brinkley's Newsroom
11:30—American Inventory
12:00—Youth Wants to Know
12:30—Frontiers of Faith
1:00—Sunday Matinee
2:00—Amahl and Night iVs.
3:00—Big Picture
3:30—Zoo Parade
4:00—Werlein's
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5:00—Ramar of the Jungle
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10:00—Ans. To Your Ques.
10:15—News
10:30—Sunday Cinema

At The Theaters

JIM THEATRE

Today through Tuesday-Robert C. Roark's "African Adventure." A true picture of big game hunting in the dark continent. Plus Walt Disney's 30-minute true life adventure "Water Birds." Both in color.

Starting Wednesday: M-G-M's "Athena" starring Jane Powell, Edmund Purdom, Debbie Raynolds, Vic Damone and Louis Calhern. The body beautiful musical comedy with young ideas. In color.

Next Attraction: "Destry" starring Audie Murphy, Mari Blanchard, Lyle Bettger and Lori Nelson. In color by Technicolor.

PARAMOUNT THEATRE

Today through Wednesday: Alan Ladd in "The Black Knight" co-starring Patricia Medina and filmed in Technicolor.

Thursday and Friday: "Witness to Murder" with Barbara Stanwick.

Starting Christmas Day: "White Christmas" filmed in VistaVision and starring Bing Crosby, Dannie Kaye, Rosemary Clooney and Vera Ellin, in beautiful Technicolor.

Large deposits of manganese ore recently have been found in Liberia.

Alan Ladd Co-Starred In 'The Black Night'

Alan Ladd, the screen's top adventure star, dons knightly armor to bring to screen life the action and romance of the age of King Arthur and his Knights of the Round Table, in his first great spectacle, Columbia Pictures' "The Black Knight," filmed in color by Technicolor and due today at the Paramount Theatre. Reunited with Ladd in a co-starring role is Patricia Medina, who was his leading lady in "Botany Bay."

"The Black Knight" takes place in the stirring days when King Arthur's rule was troubled by depredations of the Vikings and the treacherous plotting of King Mark of Cornwall and the Saracen knight, Sir Palamides. It is against this background of strife, pillaging and treachery that Ladd, as a young commoner comes to Camelot Castle to ask Arthur for a boon: knighthood and a chance to avenge his master whose castle has been plundered by retainers of King Mark and the Saracen.

The young warrior is taken in tow by Arthur's most gallant knight, and soon is skilled in the implements of war. And, with the cunning of his armorer's trade, he forges his own light-weight black armor and sword. Thus armed, and disguised as the Black Knight, he sets off in search of adventure, not putting down his sword until he has saved King Arthur's crown and England herself from the treachery of King Mark and the Saracen knight and has won himself the beautiful Miss Medina.

"The Black Knight," according to Hollywood report the year's great spectacle, is said to recreate the panoply and splendor of the Arthurian England. There is said to be spectacle aplenty as thousands storm castle battlements; action, as the Black Knight engages in trial by combat; suspense, as martyrs lie beneath the sacrificial knife of the Druids; and romance, amid the pomp and pageantry of Camelot.

Story and screen play were penned by Alec Coppel. Tay Garnett directed the new spectacle adventure for producers Irving Allen and Albert R. Broccoli.

Flying Santas To Deliver Gifts In Far-Out Sections

The patrol plane Santas of Southern Natural Gas Company are flying again.

Between now and Christmas the four patrol plane pilots and their assistant Santas will drop 2,000 plastic bags of candy and toys to children living in the lonely houses along the pipe line.

Each gift bag will come floating down under a small nylon parachute and will contain about a pound and a half of hard candy, a book of Christmas carols, a ballpoint pen, a comic book, several toys and (for the mamas) packets of needles and measuring spoons. Each will have a special greeting card from Southern Natural Gas Company.

It's the pilots' and the company's way of saying "Merry Christmas" to the children who all through the year run out to wave at the passing pilots as they patrol the buried lines in Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and South Carolina.

After four years the annual "Candy from Heaven" event has become so popular with the children and their parents that some write the company in advance. "I'll be waiting for you," they promise. "Thank you for remembering me last year."

Especially treasured by the people of Southern Natural are the letters which flood into Birmingham headquarters after each trip of the flying pipe line Santas. "Dear Gas Line Pilot," they write in childish scrawls. "Me and my brothers and sisters sure did like the candy and toys and that pretty little parachute. We live in the house with the red barn. We like to wave at you." And sometimes the letters wind up with an unabashed, "I love your!"

Sometimes a letter will tell of a Christmas which would have been bleak indeed without the gifts of the patrol plane Santas. "My man is in the hospital," one mother wrote, "and we wouldn't have had any Christmas except for you."

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In Hollywood

By Jimmy Fidler



New Magical City

By MAX ALEXANDER
Guest Columnist)

HOLLYWOOD, December 18 — Hollywood has recently undergone something approximating evolution —or perhaps the proper word is revolution. The Hollywood of 20 years ago is dead as the fabled dodo bird. From the ashes has risen a new magical city — now devoted in part to the production of films for television purposes. And perhaps the transition, although economically painful to many engaged in the making of motion pictures, may yet prove beneficial and constructive. My observations are from the view point of a producer.

One important reason for this evolution, or revolution, if you prefer, was the advent and rapid growth of television. And another reason was the lessening of public spending power which naturally followed the conclusion of World War II. Anyway, the definite effect was something like a conspiracy to wreck the institution known as Hollywood and which, inadvertently, ushered in a new era in which TV plays a co-starring role.

One unpleasant result of these developments was to bring about, temporarily, production malnutrition. A slump in the business of making motion pictures, which affected the pocketbooks of just about everybody, from stars, with their enormous salaries, to bit players and extras. Big - name personalities, whose services were in constant demand and whose incomes ranged from $150,000 a picture upward in some instances, found themselves threatened with salary cuts. This experience for people who are highly - geared in a financial sense, was especially painful and required a laborious readjustment. The results were felt all the way down the line, from the newsboys at the corner of Sunset and Laurel Canyon to Schwab's drugstore, famous habitat of the stars.

Hollywood for awhile was panicky, in more ways than one. Where once the industry turned out between 500 or 550 features a year, production was slashed to two or three hundred pictures. Readjustment was a spectre which haunted the streets and screeched mournful sounds.

Now, however, Hollywood is on the road back to economic stability —thanks to new innovations and television. Producers and distributors, including my own TV distributing company of M. and A. Alexander Productions, recognized the new deal and converted their operations to tie in with a relatively new-born industry. As in the instance of my own firm, some companies, aware of the tremendous market for motion pictures on TV, began to distribute such films to television stations throughout the country. And other organizations converted their setups to the production of films especially for TV purposes or folded up their own outfits and started anew.

Indicative of the new version is the fact that at the present every studio available to television producers is jammed with activity. Actors who were literally hungry a few years ago, at the outset of the changeover, are now eating regularly. And in a few phases of production, there is a shortage of trained personnel, in contrast to a short time ago.

I repeat, Hollywood is fast recuperating from a severe case of production malnutrition. And, from where I sit, it looks like a permanent recovery, sound in every detail.

Even omitting the TV phase, the wide screen rage and the dip into period pictures, has had a revivifying effect.

Perhaps this experience, from one angle, is a good thing. It may be Hollywood has acquired a new and better sense of values. Anyhow, most of the trouble seems now in the past and Hollywood, with a new optimism, faces the future with a substantial degree of confidence and assurance.

Hollywood, as most of the world believes, is home of the magic movies. Some of the major producers may have gone afield in search of more space for their studios, but to all intents and purposes, they still are a part of Hollywood. There was a depression of sorts in the film industry just after World War II, and a crisis rapidly developed. But TV was in the offing, and this industry became a revitalizing shot in the arm, and then the studios came up with various innovations in picture screens —with even 3-D having its inning. But later came the wide screens, and a change in pace of the story output, and theater-goers all over this nation began to return to the theaters.

In the last two years the prosperity, known so well before the war, was on the rebound, and while the wedding of TV and the movie industry has not taken place, the two are more closely associated than ever before. The combination, so far as it has gone, is working toward an increase in financial stability of the older industry.

Being a television producer, I naturally see the TV angle, and I'm just as anxious, from my viewpoint, to give credit where credit is due. I hope I'm a sound prophet. But of course only time will ruin my reputation, if any, in this respect, or substantiate my views. I doubt if the general public realizes the extensive production activity that TV has brought to Hollywood.

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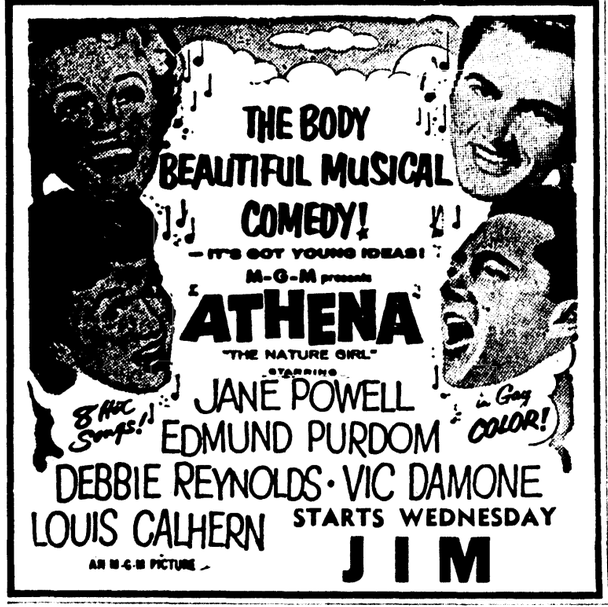


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12:45—News
1:00—Symphonette
1:30—N. Y. Philharmonic
3:00—News-Sun After'n.
4:00—News-On Sun. Aft'n.
4:15—Don Ewing
4:30—Fred Hudson, Jr.
4:45—Sun. After'n.-News
5:00—Gene Autrey
5:30—Hallmark Radio
5:45—Hall of Fame
6:00—Jack Benny
6:30—Amos 'N Andy
7:00—Our Miss Brooks
7:30—My Little Margie
8:00—Edgar Bergen
9:00—Gene Autry
9:30—Two For The Money
10:00—Collins, News
10:15—The Messiah
10:30—Night of Music
11:30—Night of Music
12:00—News-Night of Music
12:15—Night of Music
1:00—News
1:05—Sine

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6:00—Sign On
6:05—Quartette of the Week
7:00—News
7:05—Bible Readings
7:45—Jeffress Quartet
8:15—Assembly of God Ch.
8:45—Gospel News
9:00—Christian Brotherhood
9:30—Lakeside Quartet
10:00—Gospel Parade
10:45—Serenade in Blue
11:00—KTRY Church Of Air
12:00—Sunday Special
12:15—Reserved for You
12:30—News
12:45—Guest Star
1:00—News
1:05—Central Ch. of Christ
1:30—Music
2:00—The Bible Hour
2:15—Hour of St. Francis
2:30—Band Stand
2:45—Eddie Howard
3:00—Rev. Ira Patterson
3:05—Harmonizing Time
3:30—The Catholic Hour
4:30—Central Missionary
4:45—News
5:00—Sign Off

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KNOE-TV—Channel 8

6:45—Test Pat., & Sign On
9:00—Lamp Unto My Feet
9:30—Look Up & Live
10:00—To Be Announced
10:30—What's Your Trouble
10:45—Selected Film
10:45—Morning Movie
11:00—Winky Dink & You
11:30—American Inventory
12:00—Youth Wants to Know
12:30—Sunday Edition
12:45—To Be Announced
1:00—Devotional
1:30—Face 'the Nation
2:00—Now & Then
2:30—Adventure
3:00—The American Week
3:30—The Search
4:00—Wild Bill Hickok
4:30—Homes & Handicraft
5:00—Spirit of Christmas
5:30—You Are There
6:00—People Are Funny
6:30—Private Secretary
7:00—Toast of the Town
8:00—Fred Waring
8:30—Loretta Young Show
9:00—Father Knows Best
9:30—Meet Corliss Archer
10:00—Break the Bank
10:30—The Hunter
11:00—Drew Pearson
11:15—News, Weather
11:20—SIGN OFF

WSLI-TV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 12

12:15—Faith For Today
12:45—Big League Football
1:00—Pro Football
3:45—Scoreboard
4:00—Cen. Miss. Quartet
4:30—The Christophers
5:00—Story Portrait
5:30—What One Can Do
5:45—Sunday Showtime
7:00—Flight No. 7
7:30—The Big Picture
8:00—Melvyn Douglas
8:30—Soldier Parade
9:00—Break The Bank

WLBT-TV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 3

11:15—Brinkley's Newsroom
11:30—American Inventory
12:00—Youth Wants to Know
12:30—Frontiers of Faith
1:00—Sunday Matinee
2:00—Amahl and Night IVs.
3:00—Big Picture
3:30—Zoo Parade
4:00—Werlein's
4:30—Adventure Time
5:00—Ramar of the Jungle
5:30—Annie Oakley
6:00—People are Funny
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7:00—Comedy Hour
8:00—TV Playhouse
9:00—Loretta Young
9:30—Ellery Queen
10:00—Ans. To Your Ques.
10:15—News
10:30—Sunday Cinema

At The Theaters

JIM THEATRE

Today through Tuesday-Robert C. Roark's "African Adventure." A true picture of big game hunting in the dark continent. Plus Walt Disney's 30-minute true life adventure "Water Birds." Both in color.

Starting Wednesday: M-G-M's "Athena" starring Jane Powell, Edmund Purdom, Debbie Raynolds, Vic Damone and Louis Calhern. The body beautiful musical comedy with young ideas. In color.

Next Attraction: "Destry" starring Audie Murphy, Mari Blanchard, Lyle Bettger and Lori Nelson. In color by Technicolor.

PARAMOUNT THEATRE

Today through Wednesday: Alan Ladd in "The Black Knight" co-starring Patricia Medina and filmed in Technicolor.

Thursday and Friday: "Witness to Murder" with Barbara Stanwick.

Starting Christmas Day: "White Christmas" filmed in VistaVision and starring Bing Crosby, Dannie Kaye, Rosemary Clooney and Vera Ellin, in beautiful Technicolor.

Large deposits of manganese ore recently have been found in Liberia.

Alan Ladd Co-Starred In 'The Black Night'

Alan Ladd, the screen's top adventure star, dons knightly armor to bring to screen life the action and romance of the age of King Arthur and his Knights of the Round Table, in his first great spectacle, Columbia Pictures' "The Black Knight," filmed in color by Technicolor and due today at the Paramount Theatre. Reunited with Ladd in a co-starring role is Patricia Medina, who was his leading lady in "Botany Bay."

"The Black Knight" takes place in the stirring days when King Arthur's rule was troubled by depredations of the Vikings and the treacherous plotting of King Mark of Cornwall and the Saracen knight, Sir Palamides. It is against this background of strife, pillaging and treachery that Ladd, as a young commoner comes to Camelot Castle to ask Arthur for a boon: knighthood and a chance to avenge his master whose castle has been plundered by retainers of King Mark and the Saracen.

The young warrior is taken in tow by Arthur's most gallant knight, and soon is skilled in the implements of war. And, with the cunning of his armorer's trade, he forges his own light-weight black armor and sword. Thus armed, and disguised as the Black Knight, he sets off in search of adventure, not putting down his sword until he has saved King Arthur's crown and England herself from the treachery of King Mark and the Saracen knight and has won himself the beautiful Miss Medina.

"The Black Knight," according to Hollywood report the year's great spectacle, is said to recreate the panoply and splendor of the Arthurian England. There is said to be spectacle aplenty as thousands storm castle battlements; action, as the Black Knight engages in trial by combat; suspense, as martyrs lie beneath the sacrificial knife of the Druids; and romance, amid the pomp and pageantry of Camelot.

Story and screen play were penned by Alec Coppel. Tay Garnett directed the new spectacle adventure for producers Irving Allen and Albert R. Broccoli.

Flying Santas To Deliver Gifts In Far-Out Sections

The patrol plane Santas of Southern Natural Gas Company are flying again.

Between now and Christmas the four patrol plane pilots and their assistant Santas will drop 2,000 plastic bags of candy and toys to children living in the lonely houses along the pipe line.

Each gift bag will come floating down under a small nylon parachute and will contain about a pound and a half of hard candy, a book of Christmas carols, a ballpoint pen, a comic book, several toys and (for the mamas) packets of needles and measuring spoons. Each will have a special greeting card from Southern Natural Gas Company.

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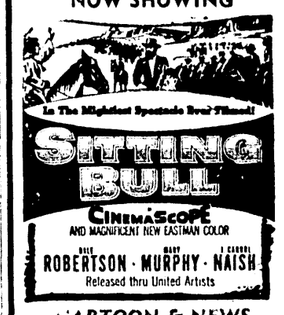
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Especially treasured by the people of Southern Natural are the letters which flood into Birmingham headquarters after each trip of the flying pipe line Santas. "Dear Gas Line Pilot," they write in childish scrawls. "Me and my brothers and sisters sure did like the candy and toys and that pretty little parachute. We live in the house with the red barn. We like to wave at you." And sometimes the letters wind up with an unabashed, "I love your!"

Sometimes a letter will tell of a Christmas which would have been bleak indeed without the gifts of the patrol plane Santas. "My man is in the hospital," one mother wrote, "and we wouldn't have had any Christmas except for you."

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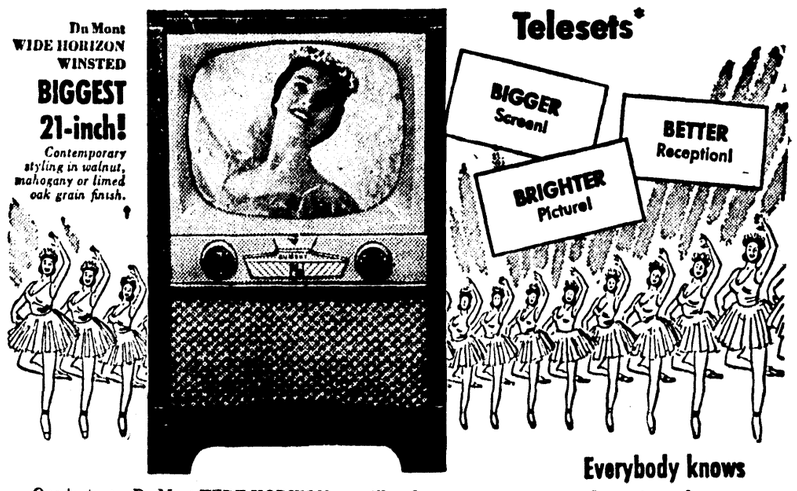
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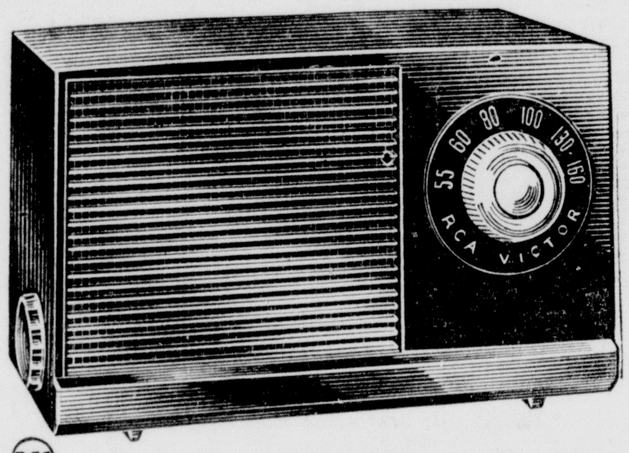
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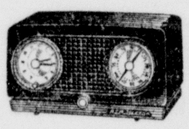
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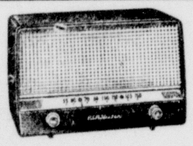


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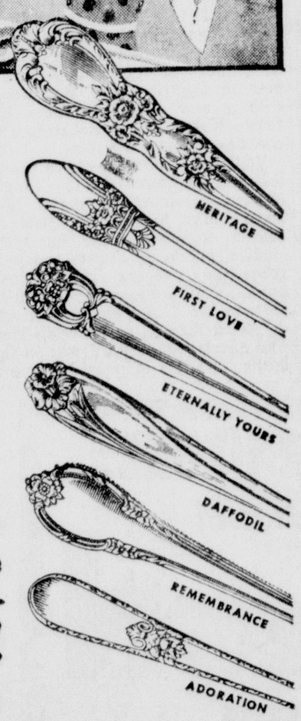
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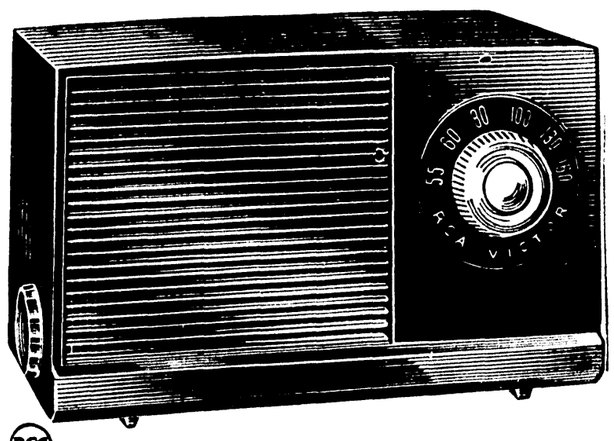
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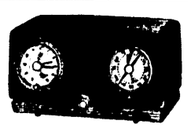
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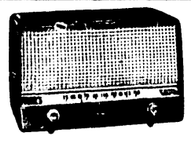


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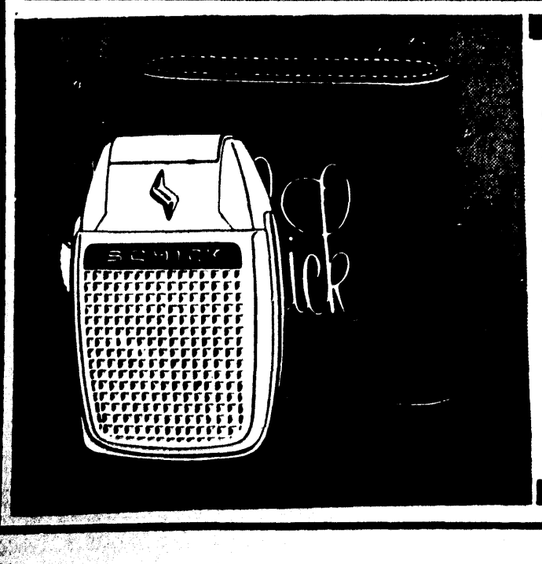
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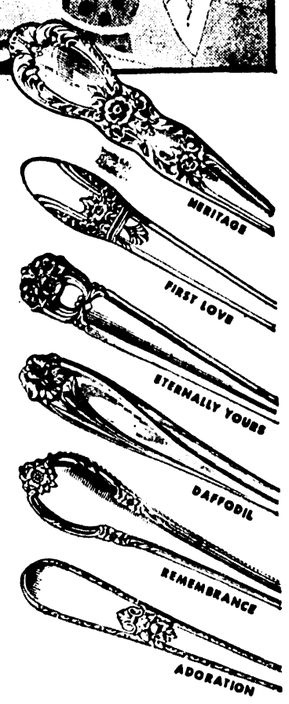
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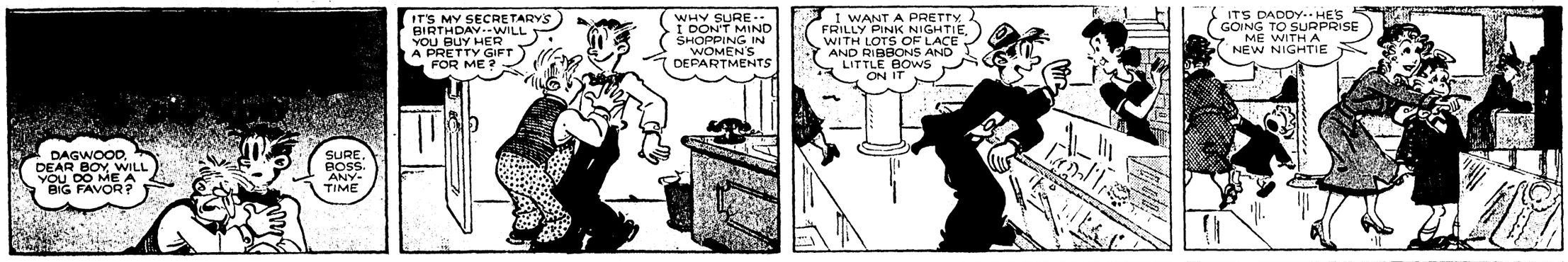


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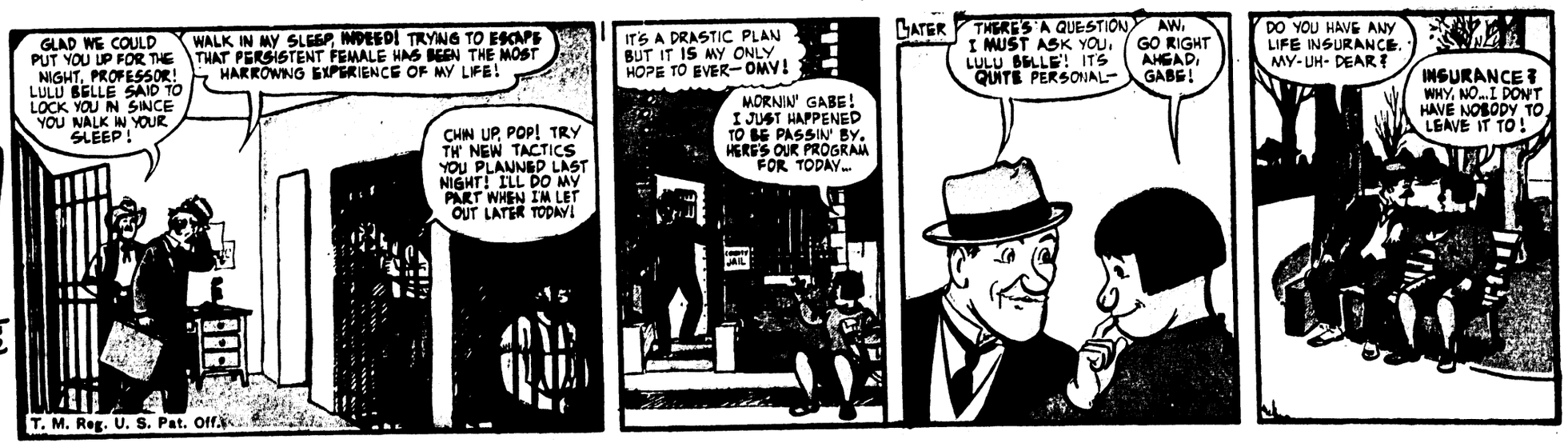
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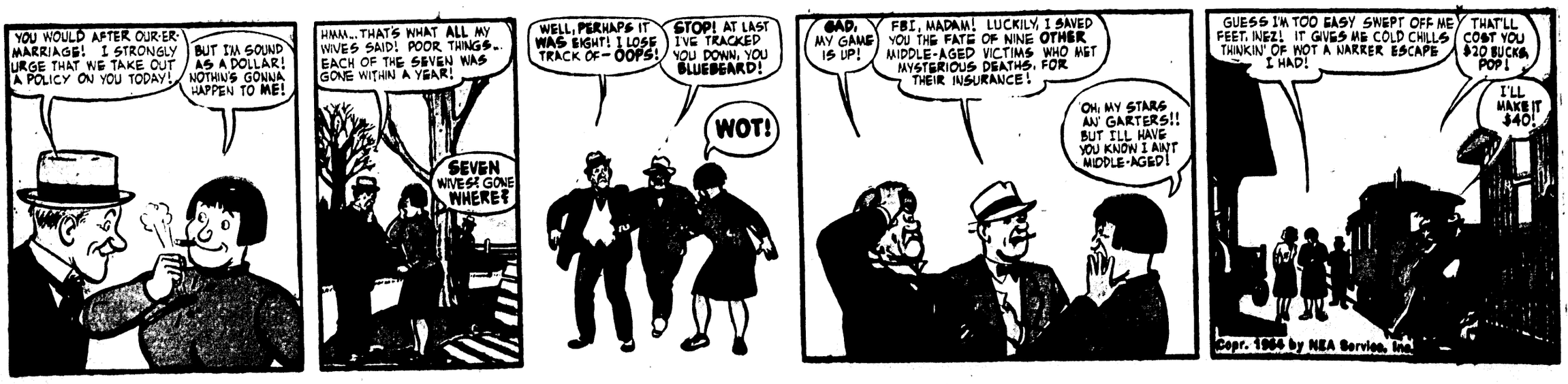




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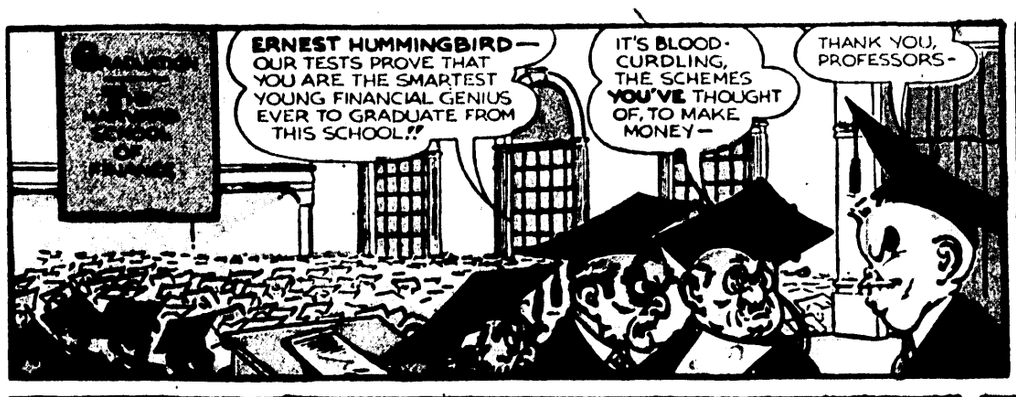
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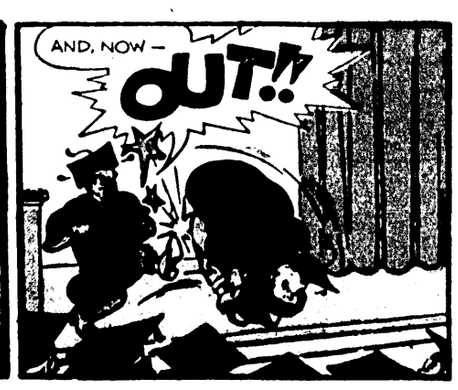




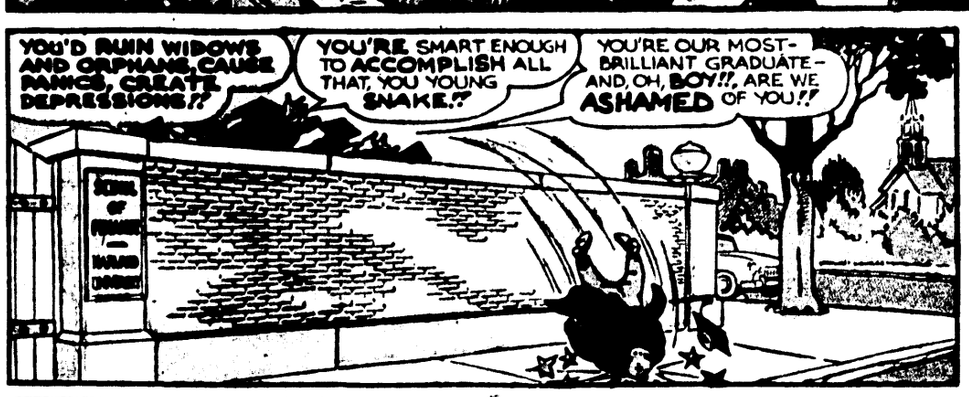
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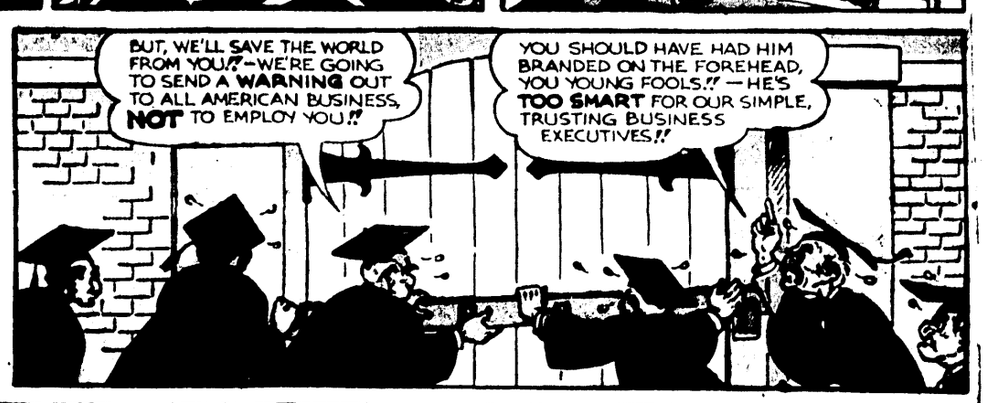
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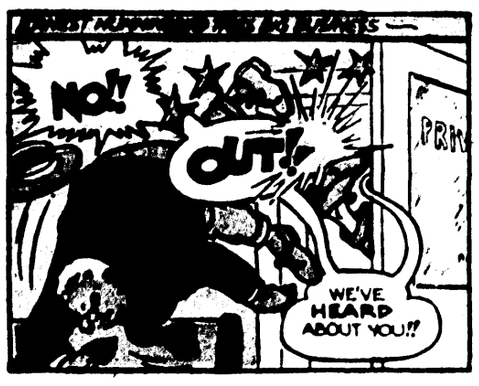














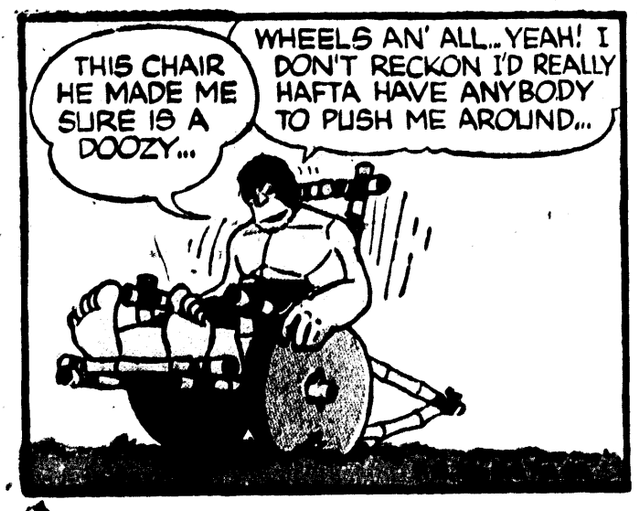




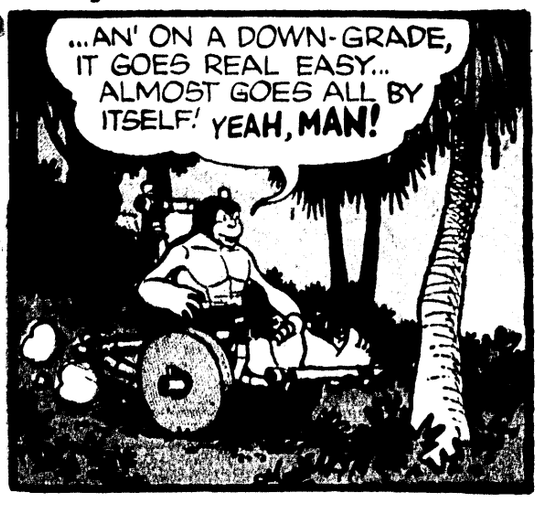
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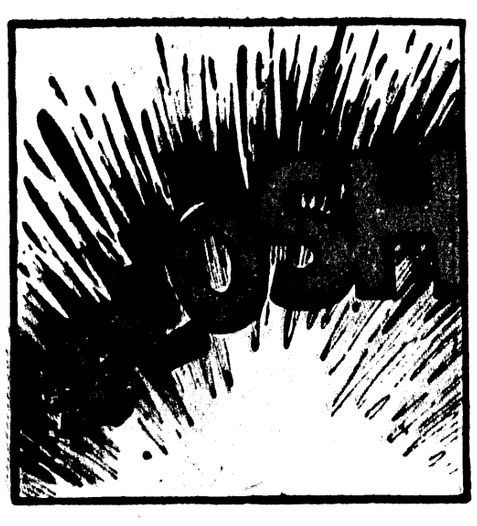


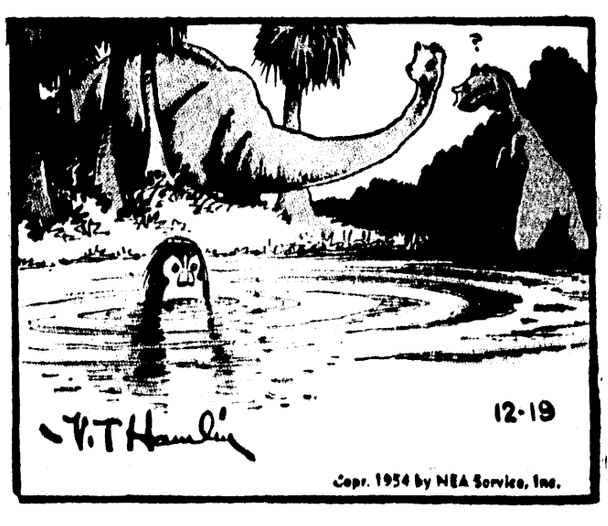












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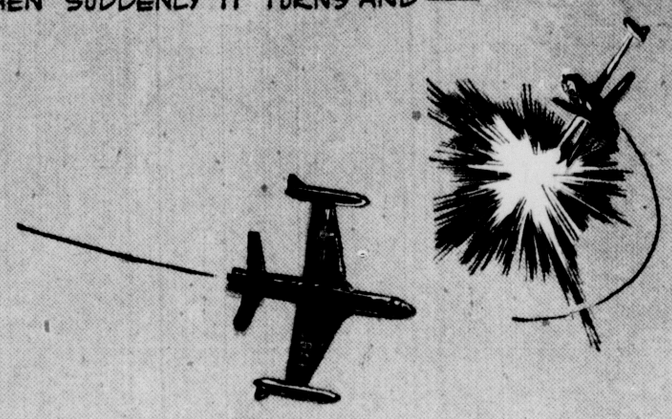
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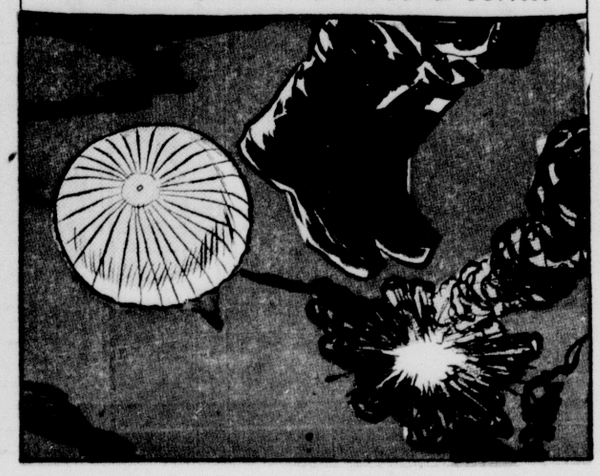




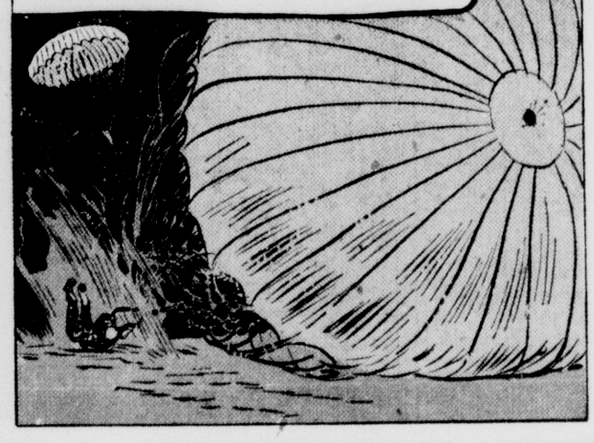
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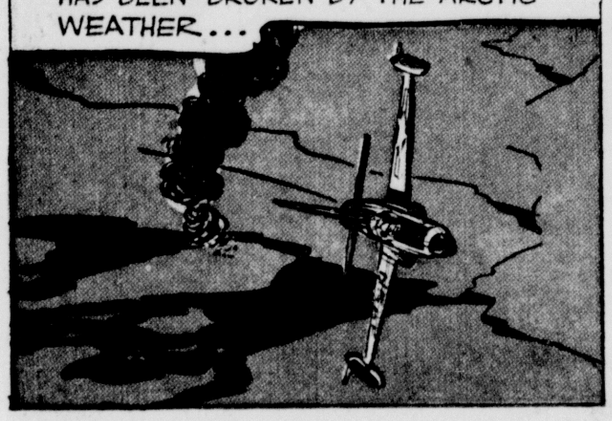
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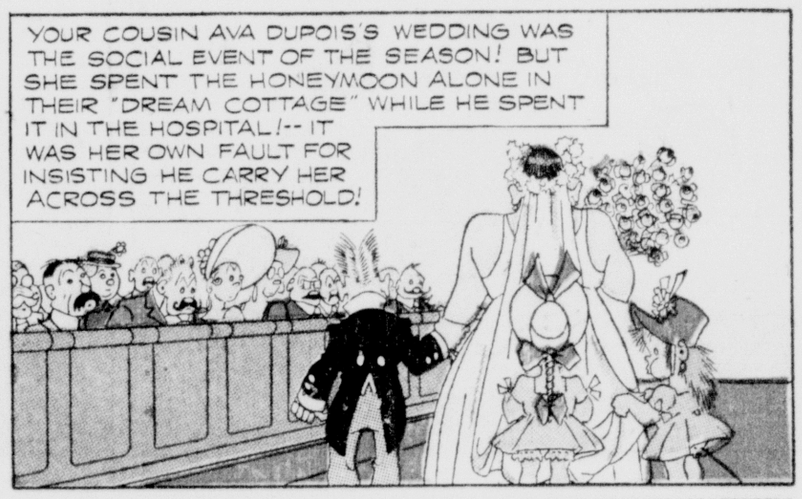


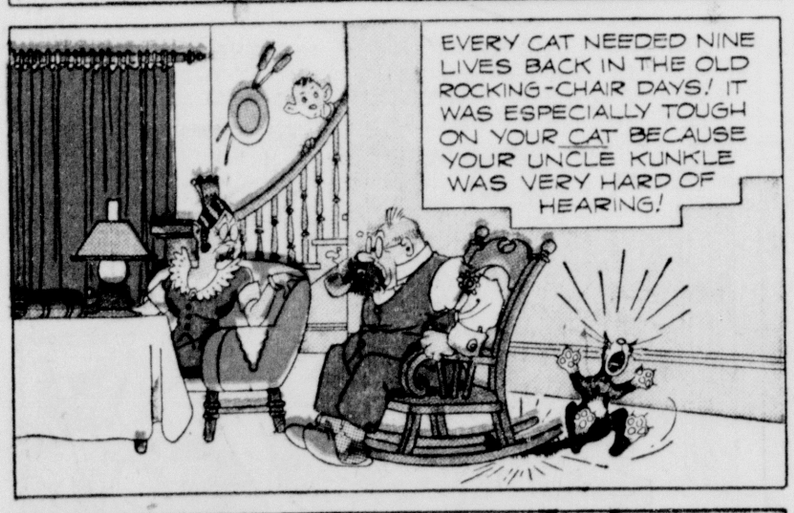
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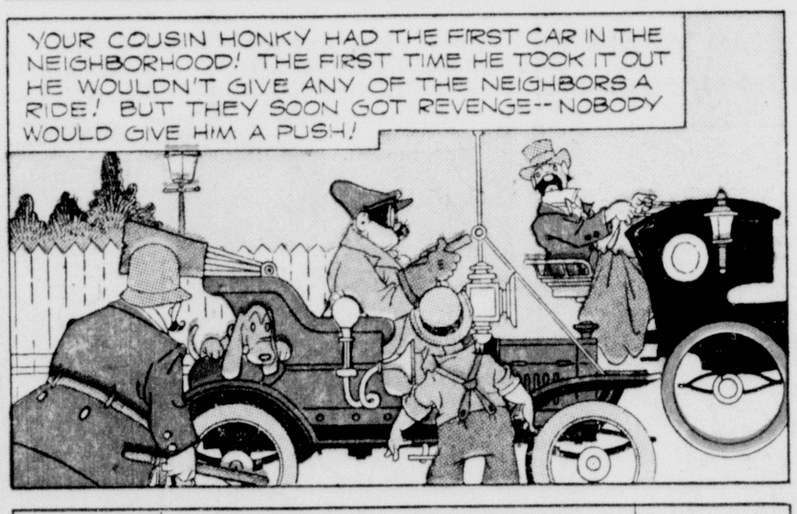
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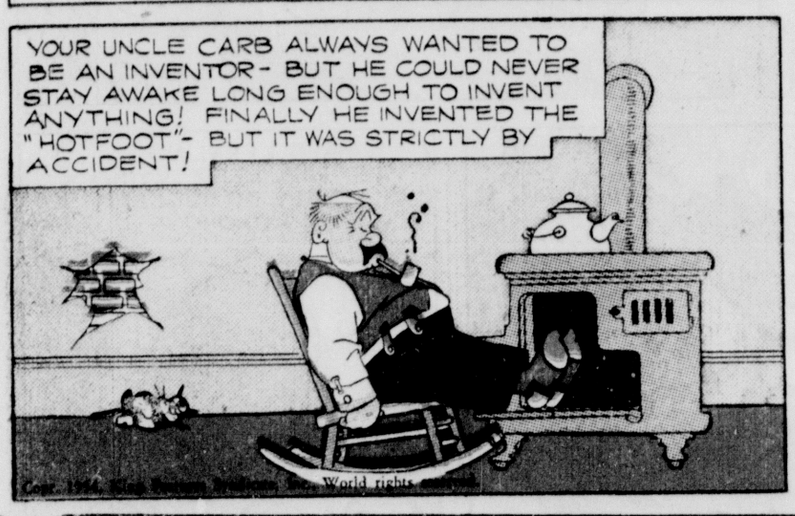




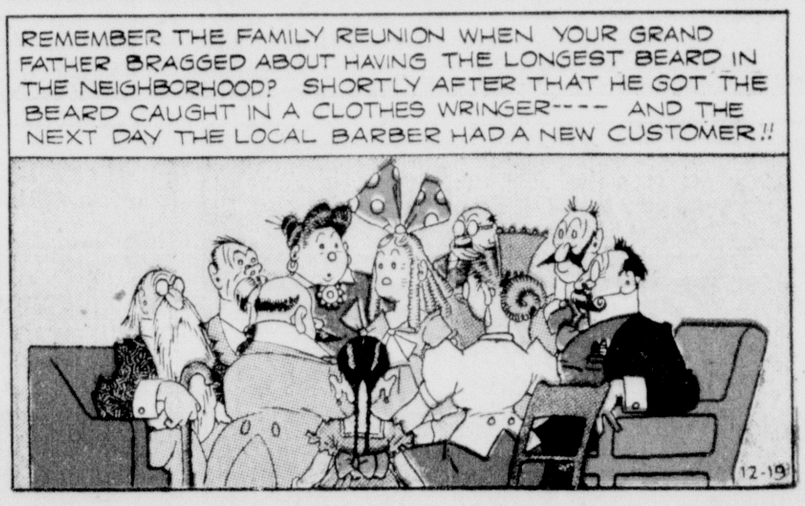












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JIGGS- I JUST LOVE TO LOOK THROUGH THIS OLD ALBUM!

SO DO I-- IT BRINGS BACK FOND MEMORIES--

REMEMBER THE TIME YOUR LITTLE SISTER SUSIE HAD A CRUSH ON YOUNG AD ENOID? AND HE FELL FOR HER TOO-- BUT FORTUNATELY A CLOTHESLINE BROKE HIS FALL!!

YOUR COUSIN AVA DUPOIS'S WEDDING WAS THE SOCIAL EVENT OF THE SEASON! BUT SHE SPENT THE HONEYMOON ALONE IN THEIR "DREAM COTTAGE" WHILE HE SPENT IT IN THE HOSPITAL!-- IT WAS HER OWN FAULT FOR INSISTING HE CARRY HER ACROSS THE THRESHOLD!

EVERY CAT NEEDED NINE LIVES BACK IN THE OLD ROCKING-CHAIR DAYS! IT WAS ESPECIALLY TOUGH ON YOUR CAT BECAUSE YOUR UNCLE KUNKLE WAS VERY HARD OF HEARING!

YOUR COUSIN HONKY HAD THE FIRST CAR IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD! THE FIRST TIME HE TOOK IT OUT HE WOULDN'T GIVE ANY OF THE NEIGHBORS A RIDE! BUT THEY SOON GOT REVENGE-- NOBODY WOULD GIVE HIM A PUSH!

EVERYBODY THOUGHT IT WAS SO CUTE WHEN LITTLE MEL LARKEY PROPOSED TO YOUR SHY LITTLE COUSIN KATIE! THAT WAS FORTY YEARS AGO-- AND SHE'S STILL TRYING TO GET HIM TO THE ALTAR!

YOUR UNCLE CARB ALWAYS WANTED TO BE AN INVENTOR- BUT HE COULD NEVER STAY AWAKE LONG ENOUGH TO INVENT ANYTHING! FINALLY HE INVENTED THE "HOTFOOT"- BUT IT WAS STRICTLY BY ACCIDENT!

YOUR AUNTY PASTO NEVER WORRIED ABOUT GOING OFF HER DIET! IN FACT SHE NEVER WENT ON A DIET!-- SHE BELIEVED IN BUYING A LARGER-SIZE CORSET!!

GEO McMANUS

REMEMBER THE FAMILY REUNION WHEN YOUR GRAND FATHER BRAGGED ABOUT HAVING THE LONGEST BEARD IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD? SHORTLY AFTER THAT HE GOT THE BEARD CAUGHT IN A CLOTHES WRINGER---- AND THE NEXT DAY THE LOCAL BARBER HAD A NEW CUSTOMER!!

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UNCLE REMUS

YOU NEVER KNOW WHUT TH' TUNE'S GONNA BE WHEN MIZ SWAN STARTS SINGING.

I D'CLARE, MIZ SWAN-YOU AN' YOUR CHILLUNS IS TH' PURTIEST PUSSONS ON THIS WHOLE RIVER!

THEM'S TH' NICEST WURDS ENNYBODY EVER SAID 'BOUT ME AN' MY CHILLUNS...!

UDDER FOLKS DON'T LIKE LIDDLE UNS LIKE I DOES!

AN' JEST FER THAT...I'LL SING YOU A PRETTY SONG!

SUMTIMES I SEE..♪

B'HIND A TREE...

BEE-YOU-TEE-FULL!

...TH' DANGER OF CAL-AM-A-TEE...♪

SO SAVE YOUR HIDE... ♪AN' ROLL ASIDE! ♫

EEYIPES...!

♪THEN LEAVE THIS VILLUN UP TO ME! ♫

EX-QUIZZ-IT!

AN' NOW HIS YELLS IS MUSIC TO MY EARS!

OUCH! HELP! OWW!

A LIDDLE TIP...STARTS A BIG FALL.

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BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH

by FRED LASSWELL

YOU THINK THESE BACKWOODS BUMPKINS WILL FALL FOR OUR ROUTINE, AL?

SURE!! GET ON YOUR CHAUFFEUR SUIT AN' LEAVE EVER'THING TO ME, SID

SIR-- I LEFT MY WALLET BACK AT THE LODGE AND MY STUPID CHAUFFEUR RAN OUT OF GAS -- WOULD YOU ACCEPT MY PERSONAL CHECK OF FIFTY DOLLARS FOR FIVE CASH?

SHORE!!

THAR YE BE, COUSIN -- IT'S ALL WRINKLED AN' CRINKLED UP, I BEEN SAVIN' IT SO LONG

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TO BE CONTINUED!

UNCLE REMUS

YOU NEVER KNOW WHUT TH' TUNE'S GONNA BE WHEN MIZ SWAN STARTS SINGING.

I D'CLARE, MIZ SWAN-YOU AN' YOUR CHILLUNS IS TH' PURTIEST PUSSONS ON THIS WHOLE RIVER!

THEM'S TH' NICEST WURDS ENNYBODY EVER SAID 'BOUT ME AN' MY CHILLUNS..!

UDDER FOLKS DON'T LIKE LIDDLE UNS LIKE I DOES!

AN' JEST FER THAT...I'LL SING YOU A PRETTY SONG!

SUMTIMES I SEE...♪

B'HIND A TREE...

BEE-YOU-TEE-FULL!

...TH' DANGER OF CAL-AM-A-TEE...♪

SO SAVE YOUR HIDE... ♪AN' ROLL ASIDE! ♫

EEYIPES...!

♪THEN LEAVE THIS VILLUN UP TO ME! ♫

EX-QUIZZ-IT!

AN' NOW HIS YELLS IS MUSIC TO 'MY EARS!

OUCH! HELP! OWW!

A LIDDLE TIP..STARTS A BIG FALL.

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BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH

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YOU THINK THESE BACKWOODS BUMPKINS WILL FALL FOR OUR ROUTINE, AL?

SURE!! GET ON YOUR CHAUFFEUR SUIT AN' LEAVE EVER'THING TO ME, SID

SIR-- I LEFT MY WALLET BACK AT THE LODGE AND MY STUPID CHAUFFEUR RAN OUT OF GAS -- WOULD YOU ACCEPT MY PERSONAL CHECK OF FIFTY DOLLARS FOR FIVE CASH?

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GO AWAY!

WOOF WOOF!

CRASH!

BAM!

WOOF! WOOF! WOOF!

I SAY, ANYBODY HOME?

LOOK! SOMEBODY'S BROKEN IN THE HOUSE, HOMER.

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I'M IN NO MOOD TO ARGUE WITH THAT DOG AT THE FRONT DOOR. I'LL JUST SLIP OUT THE BACK WAY.

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NOW, YOU JUST MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME IN THAT ICEBOX, MY LITTLE FRIEND.

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